

A PUBLICATION OF The Washington Post | PLAN YOUR NIGHT AT WWW.EXPRESSNIGHTOUT.COM | NOVEMBER 25-29, 2009 | »FREE

Weekend



Obama's decision on Afghanistan is expected soon.

Big Pitch: Obama begins work to sell war strategy | 3

Battling Baboons: Furry felons menace S. Africa | 10



lookout







Beloved Wizards Owner Abe Pollin Dies

WINNING TOUCH: Abe Pollin holds the NBA championship trophy after the Washington Bullets — now Wizards — won the title in 1978. The Wizards owner, who helped transform downtown D.C. by building Verizon Center, died at 85 Tuesday. ❖ Strong-Willed: Pollin known for loyalty | Page II

A Gloomy Forecast For Jobs

Fed says high unemployment rate is here for years to come

Top Federal Reserve officials expect unemployment to remain elevated for years to come, according to new projections released Tuesday, suggesting that the economic recovery will be too gradual to create rapid improvement in the job market.

The unemployment rate will be in the 6.8 to 7.5 percent range at the end of 2012, according to forecasts of 17 top Fed officials, down from its 10.2 percent rate in October but still far above the 5 percent or so level typically seen in a healthy economy. Most of the Fed leaders "anticipated that about five or six years would be needed for the economy to converge fully to a longer run path" with sustainable growth and thriving labor market.

Indeed, a separate report said that the economy grew more slowly than first thought this summer — a 2.8 percent annual rate of growth, not the 3.5 percent first estimated. That suggests that the recovery started with less of a bang than originally reported. There was some good news, however, as new reports showed that home prices climbed in September and consumer confidence rose in November. NEIL IRWIN (THE WASHINGTON POST)









eyeopeners

ANIMAL EATING

Here's Your Dose of Thanksgiving Guilt

A Rehobath, Mass., woman is seeking donations from fellow pet lovers to help pay for eye surgery for her turkey. Jerry has cataracts, and the eye problems mean he can't eat independently or join his female companion, Penelope, in flying. Lyndsey Medeiros has posted an ad on Craigslist seeking donations for the surgery. She says the procedure could cost up to \$2,600. (AP)



BATHROOM READING

Not a Two-Year-Old Issue of Newsweek

A first edition of "On the Origin of Species" found in a British family's guest bathroom shelf was auctioned off for \$171,000 Tuesday, Reuters reported. The family bought the book for a few shillings more than 50 years ago. Tuesday was the 150th anniversary of the book's original publication. (EXPRESS)

SHOPPING

Wal-Mart Has Black Friday Competition

Sparkly reindeer-dung necklaces are going on sale Friday at a Bloomington, Ill., zoo that hopes to attract the same holiday shoppers who swept up its dung Christmas ornaments last year. The \$15 pendant necklaces contain dried, sterilized reindeer droppings — sprayed with glitter — on a beaded chain. (AP)



IGTV

Paging 'Designed to Sell'

A real estate agent showing a house in Gibson, La., found about 100 human bones in the basement. A forensic investigator says the bones are probably remains of Native Americans buried long before the house was built. The previous residents would often find bones in their yard and would put them in the basement. (AP)



STUNTS

Whoa, Tannenbaum

Employees of Mexico City's city hall, seen here on Monday, are building a giant Christmas tree in hopes of setting a new Guinness world record. The tree will be about 300 feet tall when completed. The current record holder is the Brazilian city of Aracaju for its IIO.I-foot-tall tree, built in 2007. (EXPRESS)



Nation

'It Is My Intention to Finish the Job'

President to lay out Afghanistan strategy in address next week

WASHINGTON | Signaling he's decided on new troop levels for the Afghanistan war, President Obama said Tuesday he intends to "finish the job" on his watch and destroy terrorist networks in the region.

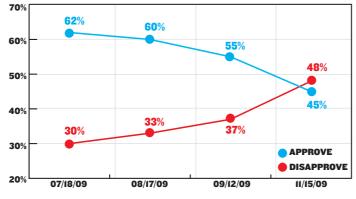
The president said he would reveal his decision on how many additional soldiers to deploy to Afghanistan sometime after Thanksgiving. The White House is aiming for an announcement by Obama either Tuesday or Wednesday in a national address. Congressional hearings will quickly follow.

Military officials and others have been expecting Obama to settle on a middle-ground option that would deploy an eventual 32,000 to 35,000 U.S. forces to the eight-year-old conflict. That rough figure has stood as the most likely option since before Obama's war council meeting earlier this month when he tasked military



President Obama seems to have reached a decision on his Afghanistan strategy.

OBAMA'S APPROVAL RATING ON AFGHANISTAN



SOURCE: THE WASHINGTON POST/ABC NEWS SURVEYS

planners with rearranging the timing and makeup of some of the deployments.

With the war worsening on Obama's watch, U.S. combat deaths climbing and public support dropping, the president seemed aware he has a lot to explain to the public.

"I feel very confident that when the American people hear a clear rationale for what we're doing there and how we intend to achieve our goals, that they will be supportive," he said, speaking at a White House news conference with Indian Prime Minister Manmohan Singh.

"It is my intention to finish the job," he said of the war in Afghanistan that has been going on since shortly after the Sept. 11 attacks in 2001.

Obama's address is timed in part to come before a NATO foreign ministers meeting, taking place in Brussels, Belgium, at the end of next week.

Obama also must pitch his plan to Capitol Hill, where law-makers will be asked to fund the effort. (AP)

First Lady Caricature Draws Fire

Google apologizing for racist picture that topped search results

Search engine behemoth Google is apologizing for image-search results delivered for first lady Michelle Obama that show the No. 1 image of her online to be a racist caricature.

"We apologize if you've had an upsetting experience using Google. We hope you understand our position regarding offensive results," says a house ad from "the Google team" served up in conjunction with image results for queries on the first lady's name.

Google spokesman Scott Rubin said it was possible that the image ranked so high because people were linking to it to condemn it, but noted that there was no way for the company to know for sure.





ACCIDENTS **The Correct Reaction** A man whose car became stuck on a set of railroad tracks bailed out before a commuter train plowed into it. Danny Ray Olsen, 62, said he took a wrong turn in Ogden, Utah, and got his 1998 Nissan Sentra high-centered between two sets of rails Monday evening. He said he saw lights approaching in his rearview mirror and decided to get out. The train hit the car, pushing it more than 100 yards down the track. The train was nearly empty. No one was injured and no citations were issued. (AP)

DUAL DEGREES

IMPRESS POTENTIAL EMPLOYERS. TWICE AS MUCH.

Give yourself a double advantage in today's tough job market with the dual degree program from University of Maryland University College (UMUC). Choose from 13 options in all, including nine that offer the UMUC MBA plus a second master's in a complementary field.

- Earn a second master's with just 18 additional credits
- Convenient online and on-site classes
- Scholarships, loans and an interest-free monthly payment plan available

Enroll now. Call 800-888-UMUC or visit umuc.edu/youcan







Dr. Kumra, DDS | Dr. Lee, DDS

New patients receive a complimentary whitening kit & custom trays, on the completion of exam, cleaning and x-rays. Keep your semi-annual recare visits and receive additional gel FREE for the rest of your life!

ROSSLYN DENTAL CENTER • 703-807-0808

1800 N. Kent St. #100 • Arlington, VA 22209 www.rosslyndentalcenter.com

EYE STREET DENTAL CENTER • 202-223-3536

1712 Eye St. #812 • Washington, DC 20006

www.eyestreetdentalcenter.com







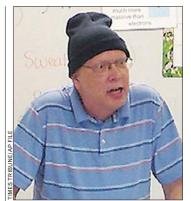
Worker scrawled 'fed' on his chest to make it look like a homicide

FRANKFORT, KY. | A Kentucky census worker found naked, bound with duct tape and hanging from a tree with "fed" scrawled on his chest killed himself but staged his death to make it look like a homicide, authorities said Tuesday.

Bill Sparkman, 51, was found Sept. 12 with a rope around his neck near a cemetery in a heavily wooded area of the Daniel Boone National Forest in Kentucky. Authorities said his wrists were loosely bound, his glasses were taped to his head, and he was gagged.

Kentucky State Police Capt. Lisa Rudzinski said an analysis found that "fed" was written "from the bottom up." He was touching the ground, and to survive "all Mr. Sparkman had to do at any time was stand up," she said.

Authorities said Sparkman alone manipulated the suicide scene. Rudzinski said he "told a



Authorities say census worker Bill Sparkman killed himself on Sept. 12.

credible witness that he planned to commit suicide and provided details on how and when."

Sparkman had recently taken out two accidental life insurance policies totaling \$600,000 that would not pay out for suicide.

Anti-government sentiment was initially one possibility in Sparkman's death. Authorities said Sparkman had discussed perceived negative views of the federal government in the county where he worked. (AP)

CRUISE.CO LOWEST CRUISE PRICES GUARANTEED!

Norwegian Cruise Sale!

*Receive up to \$300 Onboard Credit,

FREE Upgrades plus

up to \$800 in Onboard Savings on select sailings

Live the Suite Life • 7-Nights from \$749pp

7-Day Caribbean

Sailing round-trip Miami

F:379*

7-Day Bermuda

Sailing round-trip New York

-\$849* £\$599*****

7-Day U.S & Canada

Sailing round-trip New York

7-Day Alaska Cruise

Sailing Los Angeles to Vancouver

F. 499.

Fr.749*

9-Day Europe Cruise

Sailing round-trip Barcelona

£599#

12-Day Mediterranean

Sailing round-trip Barcelona

7-Day Bahamas

Sailing round-trip New York

Fr. 499*

£.699*

7-Day Hawaii Cruise

Sailing round-trip Honolulu

F. 699#

10-Day Caribbean

Sailing round-trip New York

METHUEN. MASS. | GUEST OF HONOR



DON'T PICK ME! Two turkeys look out from their pen as customers wait in line on Tuesday at Raymond's Turkey Farm. Owner Jim Rischer said he expects to sell 10,000 turkeys in the three days leading up to Thanksgiving.



You'll Join the Company of Great Minds

Please Join us for a Lunchtime Information Session Thursday, December 3, 2009, 12:00 p.m.

Zola Restaurant 800 F St NW Washington, DC 20004-1505 (Near the Metro Center and Gallery Place Metro Lines)

For more information or to RSVP, please visit georgetownmeansbusiness.com/embalunch or call 202.687.2704.

GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY

McDonough School of Business GEORGETOWN'S McDONOUGH SCHOOL OF BUSINESS offers three globally focused executive degree programs that provide an unparalleled opportunity for working professionals to benefit from the excellence of Georgetown's acclaimed faculty.

Executive Master's in Leadership

The only master's degree in leadership offered by a major business school.

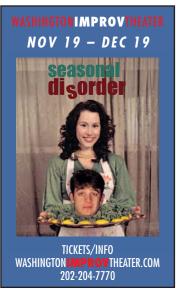
Georgetown Campus Global Executive MBA

One of the top 12 Executive MBA programs; designed to give professionals the tools to compete in today's global economy.

Georgetown-ESADE Global Executive MBA

Takes the study of global management beyond the classroom through a series of intensive modules around the world.

Georgetown Means Business





James Renwick Alliance presents

Second JKA Day

Craft Member Exhibition & Sale

Saturday, November 28, 2009 11:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. www.jraday.org

301.907.3888 Admission: JRA members, \$5 Non-members, \$7 The Woman's Club of Chevy Chase 7931 Connecticut Avenue, Chevy Chase, MD

New this year!

- JRA members receive 20% off purchases
- JRAbay silent auction and sale

The James Renwick Alliance is an independent national nonprofit organization that supports the Renwick Gallery of the Smithsonian American Art Museum.

DÆDALUS BOOKS WAREHOUSE OUTLET

GREAT BOOKS AT 50-90% OFF LIST PRICE

Great bargains in art, history, literature, natural science, gardening, crafts, cookbooks, literary fiction and a fabulous selection of children's books. Also a huge selection of CDs at less than half price: classical, jazz, world.

OPEN 10-7 EVERY DAY

LOCATED 1.5 MILES WEST OF I-95 JUST OFF ROUTE 32 RIGHT TURNS ON BROKEN LAND, SNOWDEN RIVER PARKWAY, BERGER ROAD AND GERWIG LANE

9645 GERWIG LANE COLUMBIA, MD 21046 STORE: 410-309-2730 WWW, SALEBOOKS, COM

Research Study for Diabetes Patients

A Market Research firm in Bethesda, MD is seeking men and women ages 25-60 that have been diagnosed with Diabetes within the past two years. We also looking for parents of children aged 12-18 with Diabetes.

There will be no sales efforts or clinical trials involved. If you qualify for the study, you will participate in an interview, and you will be paid for your time.

Please call 301-215-7248.

Adapt you.

"Personal Tech" can give you cool and useful tools.

Mondays.



VV170 2v1 5

SUBJECT TO CHANGE.

Nation



Continental and two other airlines were fined for keeping passengers inside a cramped plane for six hours in Minnesota Aug. 8.

Penalties in Tarmac Ordeal

Three airlines fined for holding travelers on a plane overnight

WASHINGTON | The government is imposing fines for the first time against airlines for stranding passengers on an airport tarmac, the Transportation Department said Tuesday.

The department said it has levied a precedent-setting \$175,000 in fines against three airlines for their roles in the stranding of passengers overnight in a plane in Rochester, Minn., on Aug. 8.

Continental Express Flight 2816 was en route from Houston to Minneapolis carrying 47 passengers when thunderstorms forced it to divert to Rochester, where it landed about 12:30 a.m. The airport was closed, and Mesaba Airlines employees refused to open the terminal for the passengers.

Continental Airlines and its regional airline partner Express-Jet, which operated the flight for Continental, were each fined \$50,000. The department imposed the largest penalty — \$75,000 — on Mesaba Airlines

"I hope that this sends a signal

to the rest of the airline industry that we expect airlines to respect the rights of air travelers," Transportation Secretary Ray LaHood said in a statement.

The passengers of Flight 2816 were kept waiting nearly six hours inside the cramped regional airliner amid wailing babies and a smelly toilet even though they were only 50 yards from a terminal.

In the morning, they were allowed to disembark. They spent about two and a half hours inside the terminal before reboarding the same plane to complete their trip to Minneapolis. JOAN LOWY (AP)



THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE who have been sickened by the swine flu in the United States since the virus was first identified in April, according to government data. Health officials fear that the holiday travel season could lead to more infections across the country. (AP)





OPEN **THANKSGIVING** 8_{AM}-4_{PM}

Rhode Island Ave & New Carrollton on to first 100 customers ith \$50 purchase

FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY

- Fur Trimmed
- Parkas
- Bombers
- Bubbles & More

Minimum \$20 purchase. While supplies last. One coupon per customer. No copies please. Cannot be combined with other offers. Not valid on gift certificates or layaway. Cannot be used on previous purchases. Valid now through 11/29/09 at our new Rhode Island Ave NE or New Carrollton Forman Mills location only.

JUNIOR • MISSES • PLUS

- Mix & Match Fashion Coordinates
- Fleece & Velour Sets
- Fashion Handbags
- 2-Piece Sleep Sets

- 3-Pack A-Shirts
- Boxers, Briefs
- Socks

Boys Basics 4 for \$10

& PULLOVER HOODIES

- Little Tykes
- GI Joe
- Hot Wheels

• Barbie & More

THE BIGGEST NAMES IN BOYS & GIRLS

FLEECE PANTS

• Robes • Slippers • Handbags

- Kids 2-Piece Sets Bluetooth Headsets
- Snuggles Assorted Gift Sets
- Fashion Hoodies Hat & Glove Sets
- And Much More

ALL COLORS

514 RHODE ISLAND AVE NE 202-269-2120

8401 ANNAPOLIS RD



VISIT OUR OTHER DC LOCATION!

Iverson Mall 3745 Branch Ave. Hillcrest Heights, MD 301-702-0909

SATURDAY **11 AM-1PM**

FRIDAY **10**AM-12 NOON **SATURDAY**

11AM-1PM

FRIDAY

ALL STORES OPEN THANKSGIVING DAY 8AM-4PM WED 9AM-10PM • THANKSGIVING 8AM-4PM • FRI 6AM-10PM • SAT 7AM-10PM • SUN 9AM-8PM

1-800-994-MILLS • www.formanmills.com

12 NOON-2PM WHUR

World

In Brief



People walk past the Mistral warship in downtown St. Petersburg, Russia.

ST. PETERSBURG, RUSSIA

France Shows Cutting-Edge Warship to Russian Navy

French officers on Tuesday showed off a cutting-edge warship to a potential buyer — the Russian navy, whose pursuit of an amphibious assault capacity is frightening some neighboring countries. Russian officials have said they were planning to make their first arms deal with a NATO country by buying a French ship like the Mistral — a 23,700-ton, 980-foot vessel able to carry more than a dozen helicopters. (AP)

UNITED NATIONS

U.N. Wants Men to Help End Violence vs. Women

Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon launched a Network of Men Leaders on Tuesday to act as role models in the campaign to end the "pandemic" of violence against women. Ban said it is unacceptable that about 70 percent of women experience violence from men — "the majority from their husbands, intimate partners or someone they know." (AP)

LA PAZ, BOLIVIA

Leaders of Iran, Bolivia Sign Lithium Agreement

Iran's president inaugurated an Iranian-funded hospital and two milk-processing plants Tuesday in a goodwill visit in which his leftist host defended Iran's "peaceful" nuclear aspirations. Mahmoud Ahmadinejad and Bolivian President Evo Morales also signed an agreement in which Iran committed itself to help Bolivia investigate industrializing lithium. (AP)

Murders Test Philippine Leaders

Emergency declared as the death toll from massacre reaches 46

AMPATUAN, PHILIPPINES | A few miles off the main highway, on a remote hilltop covered with waisthigh grass, bodies lay with twisted hands reaching in the air. They had been shot point-blank.

Nearby, bodies were being laid out under banana leaves Tuesday as police — their faces covered against the stench — unearthed a mass grave containing 22 victims from Monday's ambush on an election caravan. The discovery brought the death toll to 46 — an unprecedented act of violence at the outset of the country's election season.

As many as five people were still unaccounted for.

President Gloria Macapagal Arroyo declared a state of emergency in Maguindanao and a neighboring southern province, sending extra troops and police to try to impose the rule of law.

"No effort will be spared to bring justice to the victims and hold the perpetrators accountable to the full limit of the law," she said.



Relatives watch on Tuesday as police uncover from a mass grave the 22 victims of a massacre in Ampatuan, Philippines.

Few think she will be successful in the impoverished, lawless region that has been outside the central government's reach for generations.

Authorities said the victims included at least 13 Filipino journalists, and family members and supporters of a gubernatorial candidate out to file his nomination

Authorities said the victims included at least 13 Filipino journalists.

papers for May 2010 elections.

The gubernatorial candidate, Ismael Mangudadatu, was not in the convoy, because he had received death threats. He accused a powerful political rival from the Amputuan clan of carrying out the killings.

Mangudadatu's wife and his two sisters were among the dead, he said. In all, 21 women and 25 men died, said military spokesman Col. Jonathan Ponce. AARON FAVILA (AP)

China Executes Two in Milk Scandal

BEIJING | China executed a dairy farmer and a milk salesman Tuesday for their roles in the sale of contaminated baby formula — severe punishments that Beijing hopes will assuage public anger, reassure importers and put to rest one of the country's worst food safety crises.

The men were the only people put to death in a scheme to boost profits by lacing milk powder with the industrial chemical melamine; another 19 were convicted and received lesser sentences. At least six children died after drinking the adulterated formula, and more than 300,000 were sickened.

Beijing is eager to prove it has responded swiftly and comprehensively to eliminate problems in its food production chain that have spawned protests at home and threatened its export-reliant economy. The milk powder contamination struck a nerve with the public because so many children were affected but was only one in a series of product recalls and other embarrassing disclosures of lax public health safeguards.

Melamine, which is used in the manufacture of plastics and fertilizers, has also been found added to pet food, eggs and fish feed, although not in levels considered dangerous to humans. The chemical, which, like protein, is high in nitrogen, fooled inspectors. It can cause kidney stones and kidney failure. (AP)

HEARSAY | SPEECH

"That is Ouija board stuff. It's been discredited time and time again."

-ARTHUR CAPLAN,

BIOETHICS PROFESSOR AT THE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA, EXPRESSING SKEPTI-CISM THAT A BELGIAN MAN WHO WAS MISDIAGNOSED WITH A COMA FOR 23 YEARS CAN COMMUNICATE THROUGH A KEYBOARD. CAPLAN SAID THE MAN'S CARETAKER MAY BE FACILITATING HIS STATEMENTS.

23

THE AGE OF the world's oldest sheep, who died in southeast Australia on Monday during a record-breaking heat wave, Agence France-Presse reported. Owner Delrae Westgarth said the ewe, Lucky, died at the precise age of 23 years, six months, 28 days. "We brought her into the shed where she was reared and put air conditioners on her ... but, unfortunately, she didn't make the 23 years and seven months," Westgarth said. (EXPRESS)

Loyalty Lines Blur in Afghan War

Convincing Taliban fighters to swap sides is dangerous pursuit

SHINKAY, AFGHANISTAN | A battered taxi sped up a dusty road toward a squad of Afghan soldiers searching for bombs planted in the dirt. Army gunmen who had fanned out for protection readied for a suicide attacker. The car screeched to a halt.

The soldiers recognized a local Taliban fighter in the passenger seat and pointed their guns at him.

"Relax, guys," said Rahimullah, the Taliban fighter. He nervously stepped out of the taxi, holding his Kalashnikov rifle by the barrel to show he didn't intend to shoot.

"Can't you see it's a new Kalashnikov?" said Rahimullah, who, like many Afghans, goes by one



Afghan soldiers question ex-Taliban fighter Rahimullah, center, in the Tagab Valley last week. Rahimullah said he had left the insurgency to become a police officer.

name. "It's from the government: I've changed sides."

The soldiers grabbed the weapon for a closer look. It was, indeed, newly issued. Rahimullah said he'd received it for leaving the insurgency to become a police officer. But the scruffy 22-year-old still wore an insurgent's typical uniform: a white gown, ragged camouflage jacket and black bandanna. He had no identification or proof he had changed sides.

The tense encounter, fraught

with risks for both the soldiers and Rahimullah, illustrates the challenges facing NATO and Afghan authorities as they try to turn former enemies into trusted government agents.

Officials say a key measure is peeling off small-time local fighters from extremist militants.

But securing these shifting loyalties is tricky. Hundreds of police and some soldiers are known to have switched back once they were trained and armed. In October, a policeman opened fire on the British troops training him, killing five.

"We've got to be very careful with these people; we never know," said Capt. Abdul Hashem, the Afghan army officer commanding the mine clearance team that stopped Rahimullah last week.

Icebergs From Antarctic Drift Near N. Zealand

WELLINGTON, NEW ZEALAND | A flotilla of hundreds of icebergs that split off Antarctic ice shelves is drifting toward New Zealand and could pose a risk to ships in the South Pacific Ocean, officials said Tuesday.

The nearest one was 160 miles southeast of New Zealand's Stewart Island, Australian glaciologist Neal Young said. He couldn't say how many icebergs in total were roaming the Pacific, but he counted 130 in one satellite image alone and 100 in another.

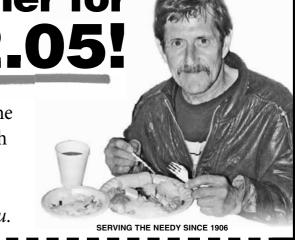
Large numbers of icebergs last floated close to New Zealand in 2006, when some were visible from the coast — the first such sighting since 1931. Maritime officials have issued navigation warnings for the area south of the country. (AP)

Complete Thanksgiving Dinner for

No one should go hungry on Thanksgiving – especially when it costs so little to serve a complete meal to a hungry and homeless person.

The hearty, traditional turkey dinner that friends like you help provide is the first step in dealing with the problems of homelessness. Then comes help with addiction recovery, job training, education and spiritual renewal.

So please help someone get started toward a new life. Just fill in the Thanksgiving Meal Ticket below. Then mail it with your gift today. *Thank you*.



YES,	want to help! Here's my gift of	f:
□ \$16.40	provides 8 meals and hope	

- \square \$16.40 provides 8 means and hope
- ☐ \$24.60 provides 12 meals and hope ☐ \$51.25 provides 25 meals and hope
- \$1.25 provides 50 meals and hope
- □ \$102.50 provides 50 meals and hope

•	•			
\$205.00	provides	100 meals	and	hop
<i>+</i>	-			-



Gospel Rescue Ministries of Washington, D.C. P.O. Box 50940 • Washington, DC 20091-0940 www.grm.org

NAME		
☐ Check enclosed	☐ I'd like to pay by credit card	
Amount \$		
Card type	Exp	
Card #		
)	
Email		
XSG14	CFC#18948	Thank you!

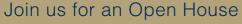
CLIP AND MAIL WITH YOUR TAX-DEDUCTIBLE GIFT TODAY.

HCKE

COMPLETE YOUR
MASTER'S DEGREE
WITHOUT INTERRUPTING
YOUR CAREER

Selected concentrations in:

- Criminal Justice
- Terrorism and Security Policy
- Justice and Public Policy
- Jurisprudence and Social Thought



Wednesday, December 2 at Noon

National Academy of Public Administration 900 7th Street, NW, Suite 600 • Washington, DC Metro stop: Gallery Place-Chinatown

Deadline for Applications: Fall 2010, February 1, 2010

To RSVP or for more information contact:

- **202-885-6230**
- ng spagrad@american.edu.

spa.american.edu/exp



eo/aa



It's time to leave her housemates for a house.

Sell your home in Express.

Place your Classified ad today. **202-334-6200**.



expressnightout.com

Classified ads appear in Express and The Washington Post

World

U.K. Begins Iraq Hearings

Inquiry billed as most comprehensive probe into U.S.-led conflict

LONDON | An inquiry into Britain's role in the Iraq war kicked off Tuesday with top government advisers testifying that some Bush administration officials were calling for Saddam Hussein's ouster as early as 2001 — long before sanctions were exhausted and two years before the U.S.-led invasion.

Critics hope the hearings, which will call on ex-prime minister Tony Blair and are billed as the most sweeping inquiry into the war, will expose alleged deception in the buildup to fightingthat left 179 British soldiers dead. However, they won't establish criminal or civil liability.

As the inquiry began, a small group of anti-war protesters gathered near Parliament. Three wore masks of George Bush, Blair and Prime Minister Gordon Brown — their hands covered in fake blood.

Sir Peter Ricketts, who was chairman of Britain's Joint Intelligence Committee in 2001, said



Anti-war protester Intisar Alobady holds an Iraqi flag on Tuesday in front of the center in London where public hearings are being held on Britain's role in the Iraq war.

Five years we've waited for this, and, finally, we're getting somewhere."

-PAULINE GRAHAM
GRANDMOTHER OF A BRITISH SOLDIER
KILLED IN IRAQ IN 2004

Britain had hoped for a strengthened policy of containment reducing the threat posed by Iraq through sanctions, weapons inspections and security measures. The strategy had been in place since the 1991 Gulf War.

But "we were conscious that there were other voices in Washington, some of whom were talking about regime change," Ricketts said, citing an article written by then-National Security Adviser Condoleezza Rice warning that nothing would change in Iraq until Saddam was gone. PAISLEY DODDS (AP)

Furry Felons Perplex South Africa

Officials try to control aggressive baboons ahead of World Cup

CAPE TOWN, SOUTH AFRICA | Visitors to South Africa's premier holiday destination who are worried about becoming victims of the country's high crime rate could find themselves instead robbed by a more furry kind of felon: baboons.

The cheeky primates have learned how to open car doors and jump through windows in pursuit of sandwiches and snacks.

City officials are battling to control the increasingly aggressive troupes, and there are fears



A baboon nicknamed "Fred" eats fruit inside a car in Cape Town on Tuesday.

the problem will only worsen with the influx of visitors to Cape Town during the World Cup next June.

On Tuesday, a troupe of 29 baboons raided four cars outside Simon's Town, a small coastal neighborhood. A baboon dubbed "Fred," the leader of the group,

opened doors and jumped through windows to search for food.

"We spend the whole day basically rescuing tourists," said Mark

420

The approximate number of baboons who roam Cape Town's outskirts. Concerned Simon's Town residents asked Monday for a crossing gate to be put up on the road that

Duffels, a volun-

teer who monitors

the baboons.

leads to the nearby Cape of Good Hope nature reserve.

"The perception is that the baboons are harmless, and they're not," said Liz Hardman, who is leading the campaign. "They're wild animals." COURTNEY BROOKS (AP)

Wizards Owner Pollin Dead at 85

Sports entrepreneur brought basketball. hockey, charity to city

OBIT | He arrived in Washington nearly 75 years ago, the gangly son of a Russian metalworker named Morris Pollinovsky who came to America a poor man speaking no English. Through decades of hard work and a seemingly unstoppable will, Abe Pollin rose to the top of the worlds of business, philanthropy and professional sports.

In the process, he transformed his adopted hometown by bringing professional basketball and hockey franchises here and by spending \$220 million of his own money to build a massive sports and entertainment arena that has dramatically changed the face of downtown Washington.

Pollin, 85, died Tuesday of the rare neurological disease corticobasal degeneration. He was among the last of the old-school pro sports owners, running the NBA's Washington Wizards and the NHL's Washington Capitals as a family business, shaped by his strong personality and his intense loyalties.

Fans often criticized his personnel moves or his failure to spend more money, but Pollin remained set in his ways.





Left, Abe Pollin opens the MCI Center in June 1997. Right, Pollin hugs Wes Unseld after the Bullets won the 1978 NBA title.

GENEROUS GENTLEMAN

In addition to owning teams, Pollin's contributions to the D.C. area were numerous:

- → He was a major philanthropist in the community, paying for affordable housing and endowing a local Boy's and Girl's Club.
- -> He opened the Capital Centre in 1973 in Landover, Md. It featured the first big instant-replay screens.
- → In 1995 Pollin decided to change his NBA team's name from Bullets to Wizards in response to increasing gun violence across the city.
- He built the MCI Center in 1997
- spearheading a revitalization of downtown Washington.

"Abe Pollin reflects an ownership style that was forged in a different era," NBA Commissioner David Stern, a longtime friend, once said of the league's senior owner.

Former D.C. mayor Anthony Williams said the city benefited greatly from Pollin's largesse, from neighborhood-level undertakings such as paying for affordable housing and endowing a local Boy's and Girl's Club, to his grandest project — building the MCI Center (now Verizon Center) in 1997 and triggering a stunning renaissance of Gallery Place and the surrounding neighborhoods.

"He was a wonderful guy, and, unlike some, he was never one to do a lot of self-promotion" about his charitable work, Williams said.

Pollin amassed a considerable fortune as a housing developer during the 1960s, constructing offices and apartment buildings throughout metropolitan Washington that he often named for family members: his first major project was Robert Towers, near the Pentagon, named for his first son, and his final project, a 500-unit luxury complex in Chevy Chase, was the Irene, named for his wife. PETER PERL (THE WASHINGTON POST)

(IN The Washington Post

"He was a thoughtful

and public-spirited man whose list of charitable and civic activities was as impressive as his work for mutual understanding and respect among the people of this region. Much of his life was a sustained effort ... to better the community."

To read the Post's editorial and other reactions to Pollin's death visit washingtonpost.com/local

Tuesday, Nov. 24

District

Mid-day Lucky Numbers	7-5-8
Evening Lucky Numbers (Wed.)	4-3-5
Mid-day DC 4	9-8-3-5
Evening DC 4 (Wed.)	9-9-2-6
Mid-day D.C. Five	0-8-4-7-3
Evening D.C. Five (Wed.)	4-6-2-7-2
Daily 6 (Wed.) 18-27-	31-33-34-37 (14)
Hot Lotto (Wed.) 18-2	20-25-27-34 (15)

Marvland

0-9-8
0-9-0
1-2-4-4
7-9-8-4
5-9-11-16-33(29
3-9-23-26-35-36

Virginia

Mid-day Pick 3	8-3-
Evening Pick 3 (Wed.)	1-6
Mid-day Pick 4	1-5-7-
Evening Pick 4 (Wed.)	0-7-4-
Mid-day Cash 5	4-14-29-30-3
Evening Cash 5 (Wed.)	13-22-23-28-3
Win For Life (Wed.) 2	2-11-14-17-30-33 (29

Powerball	 						7	 2	6	- (36	3.	- 4	19	9	-	5	8	(4	Į
Power Play	 																		5	

All winning numbers are official only when validat-

more cars on the net



express automobile dealers



LUSTINE DODGE 1-800-879-4701 WOODBRIDGE, VA 14211 JEFFERSON DAVIS HWY. LUSTINEONLINE.COM



SHEEHY HONDA 703-660-0100 AI FXANDRIA VA

LEXUS OF SILVER SPRING SILVER SPRING, MD

1-800-266-4874



355 TOYOTA/SCION ROCKVILLE, MD

301-309-3917



KOONS TYSONS TOYOTA

VIENNA, VA 8610 LEESBURG PIKE

1-888-505-1137 WWW.KOONS.COM



SILVER SPRING. MD 3111 AUTOMOBILE BLVD WWW.TRYCRYSTAL.COM

OURISMAN WORLD OF FORD 703-660-9000





DARCARS NISSAN ROCKVILLE, MD





ROCKVILLE MD 15625 FREDERICK ROAD

KAY JENNINGS SPRINGFIELD TOYOTA



DARCARS 355 VOLVO

ROCKVILLE. MD 15401 FREDERICK ROAD 301-309-3900 WWW.DARCARS.COM



WWW.DARCARS.COM

SPRINGFIFI D. VA SPRINGFIELDTOYOTA.COM 6570 AMHERST AVE

703-451-0300

Sports



One Redskins fan still has her holiday spirit, hoping for the best from her favorite team. And while a 3-7 season is bad, things could be worse as Thanksgiving approaches.

At Least It's Worse in Cleveland

Redskins fans can be thankful their team isn't the biggest turkey

REDSKINS | This turkey is on fire.

When the Redskins sit back and think about what they can be thankful about on Thursday, there won't be much. A 3-7 record was compounded with three additional players going on injured reserve this week. And with a slew of guys playing to justify a roster spot next year — and executives and coaches vying to stick around, too — this week's Thanksgiving reflections may focus on how things could be worse.

So, what are the Redskins thankful for?

- → They could be playing for Cleveland.
- → They have a good, if underappreciated, defense. Still, hold-

STUFFING | THREE REASONS TO EAT UP



They could have won the JAY CUTLER sweepstakes in the offseason. Instead, the guy they didn't want—Jason Campbell—has a much higher QB rating than Cutler (86.I to 74.5) and nine fewer interceptions.



Two of the pass-catchers from the 2008 draft are coming around.
Wide receiver DEVIN
THOMAS (25.7 yards per kick return) and tight end FRED DAVIS (23 catches) have shown they can make plays the past few weeks.

have been relatively solid. Sure, SHAUN SUISHAM'S two missed field goals would have won the game in Dallas, but they were his first misses this year. Hunter Smith has been a major improvement at punter.

The special teams

ing any team — much less your archrival — to six points on the road and still coming away with a loss has to hurt.

→ Not a single roster spot has

been lost because of the recession.

→ Due to the unusual talent disparity in the NFL this year, the Redskins may not be bad

enough to get a top-five draft pick, meaning they'll potentially save millions in guaranteed contract money on an unproven rookie.

- → Seriously, they could be playing in Cleveland.
- → The coaching staff knows exactly which linemen can and can't play because they've had to use them all. While not an ideal scenario, it certainly paints the clearest picture possible for the upcoming offseason, where the team will look to reconfigure the lineup in the offensive trenches.
- → It's hard to overemphasize this: Imagine the joyless by his own players' descriptions Eric Mangini scowling at your beaten-down squad as the lakeeffect snow whites out their final, blacked-out home game of the season. That burnt turkey tastes better already, doesn't it?

tv lineup



The Cavs' game against Al Groh's alma mater, Virginia Tech, may be his last.

■ Wednesday

7 P.M. The Capitals try to snap their recent slump when hosting the Buffalo Sabres. CSN

10 P.M. Will Maryland's men's hoops team be playing in the Maui Invitational championship? ESPN

Thursday

12:30 P.M. The Detroit Lions seek a second-straight win when the Green Bay Packers come to town. FOX

4 P.M. The Dallas Cowboys will try to score more than one touchdown when hosting the Oakland Raiders. CBS

8 P.M. The reeling Denver Broncos can right the ship with a win over the New York Giants. NFL

∍ Friday

NOON Cincinnati's football team's undefeated record is on the line against Illinois. ABC

2:30 P.M. Auburn can derail Alabama's hopes of a BCS title with an upset victory over its top rival. CBS

7 P.M. The Wizards take on Dwyane Wade and the Miami Heat. ESPN

Saturday

3:30 P.M. In what may be Al Groh's last game as Virginia's football coach, the Cavs host Virginia Tech. ESPN **3:30 P.M.** Maryland's football team tries to avoid a IO-loss season when Boston College visits. ESPNU

7 P.M. The Capitals head north to visit the Montreal Canadiens. CSN

Sunday

1 P.M. The Redskins have to overcome a plethora of injuries to defeat the Philadelphia Eagles. FOX



Sports

Capitals Get Some Time to Reflect

Long gameless stretch allows team to think about giving up leads

CAPITALS | With seven players from the opening night roster nursing an injury of some kind, the Washington Capitals caught a Thanksgiving scheduling break. After completing a stretch of four games in seven nights that included trips to four cities, the team plays just twice between now and next Monday.







Considering the Caps are suffering through their first extended losing streak of the season — four losses in five games — a chance for reflection couldn't come at a better time.

In compiling the second-best record in the Eastern Conference through 24 games, the Capitals have developed some nasty habits that could cause serious harm come springtime, when much more is at stake. During this losing streak, Washington has blown leads in all four losses, most recently a 4-3 overtime loss



Alex Ovechkin reacts after missing in a shootout loss to the Maple Leafs Saturday. The Caps have lost two straight in overtime.

23

The number of games this season in which the Capitals have held a lead in the second period or later.

to Ottawa Monday night in which it allowed a 3-1 third-period lead to slip away.

In fact, the Capitals have held a lead in the second period or later in all 24 of their games this season, and Monday night was the sixth time they've let a third-period lead slip away.

"I think any time you're in situations and it keeps happening, it's in your head," said defenseman Mike Green. "Whether we get nervous or sit back, we just try to hang onto our lead instead of going forward and pushing to try and score more goals."

Compounding the problem has been a well-documented string

of injuries that has decimated the Capitals' lineup heading into tonight's matchup with Buffalo at the Verizon Center. But the Caps have shied away from using that as an excuse.

"This team likes to score goals; it's just we're not identifying when we really should use it," explained Brendan Morrison. "Sometimes we're passive and we shoot ourselves in the foot." MARK GIANNOTTO



Albert Pujols became the first unanimous MVP since Barry Bonds in 2002.

Unanimous Vote Goes To Pujols

Cardinals superstar is NL's MVP for the second-straight year

BASEBALL | Albert Pujols was unanimously voted National League MVP on Tuesday, becoming the first player to repeat since Barry Bonds won four in a row from 2001-04. Pujols received all 32 first-place votes and 448 points in balloting announced by the Baseball Writers' Association of America.

It was the third MVP award for the St. Louis Cardinals star, who also won in 2005. He became the first unanimous MVP since Bonds in 2002.

Pujols led the majors in home runs (47), runs (124), slugging percentage (.658) and intentional walks (44), and topped the NL in on-base percentage (.443). He was second in the league in doubles (45) and third in batting average (.327) and RBI (135).

He was especially dangerous with the bases loaded, going 10 for 17 with five grand slams, and 35 RBI.

Florida's Hanley Ramirez, the NL batting champion, was second with 233 points, followed by Philadelphia's Ryan Howard (217) and Milwaukee's Prince Fielder (203).

Zorn Still Calling Some of the Plays

Redskins coach says he directed offense to start Dallas game

REDSKINS | During his weekly appearance Tuesday on ESPN 980's "The Jim Zorn Show," Redskins coach Jim Zorn revealed that he called eight plays in the Redskins' 7-6 loss to the Dallas Cowboys.

"They were just within the ... they weren't first-down plays," Zorn said. "Unless it was a two-minute drill. I called most of the



Jim Zorn said Tuesday on ESPN 980 he called eight plays in Sunday's loss.

two-minute drill."

Zorn has previously acknowledged he retained play-calling duties in two-minute drills, and it was Zorn, not primary play-caller Sherman Lewis, who again directed the offense in those situations against the Cowboys. So, Zorn also called eight plays that were not in the final two minutes of the first or second halves, Lewis continued to call "the bulk of the passes," Zorn said, and offensive coordinator Sherman Smith handled most of the running game.

Owner Daniel Snyder and Vinny Cerrato, Washington's executive vice president of football operations, stripped Zorn of most of the play-calling decisions and promoted Lewis, hired as an offensive consultant on Oct. 6, to be the new play-caller for the Oct. 26 game against the Philadelphia Eagles.

But after five weeks of the new procedure, play-calling appears to be a hodgepodge operation primarily involving Zorn, who still installs the offensive game plan each week, Lewis and Smith, the main conduits to quarterback Jason Campbell.

Sports

United's Mr. Popular Calls It Quits

Beloved Olsen hangs up his cleats after a decade of triumph

UNITED | The mayor declared Tuesday Ben Olsen Day in Washington, D.C. The gesture said a little about the sport's growth in this city and a whole lot more about the player, who retired Tuesday at 32.

For more than a decade, Olsen was the conscience of D.C. United. He played in the 2006 World Cup and the 2000 Olympics; won two MLS championships and the league's humanitarian of the year award; and he hustled and charmed his way into the local culture to a degree almost unimaginable for a humble athlete in a relatively niche sport.

"He has left a legacy at this team and in this city that will live for a long time," United President Kevin Payne said. "He is not a player



Ben Olsen has been the face of United for many years. He may join the front office.

who can be replaced." Olsen said a future role with the organization is a possibility.

It was the ankle injuries — the

ones that forced Olsen to evolve from a speedy attacking winger to a center midfielder who organized his team with selfless effort and cunning — that forced the decision. He missed nearly all of 2008, then was a mainstay in 2009, but said "the ankle I'm going to deal with the rest of my life showed itself," once the in-season painkillers and therapy stopped. "I was ready and willing to do it again, but I talked to enough people and came to my senses," Olsen said.

He spoke with his usual candor, humility and humor at Tuesday's announcement, thanking everyone from fans to former teammates and coaches, asking whether those in attendance were there for the "free lunch" and joking that supporters groups arranged their elaborate tributes only because he blackmailed them with compromising photos.

"I'm so lucky, I can't believe I've been through this stuff," he said. "I was never that great a soccer player, but I fit in. I had a knack for fitting in." BRIAN STRAUS

HICH DDAISE

Former D.C. United coaches on Olsen:

I know that I speak for everyone involved in the game in the United States in saying: 'We will miss you.'"

-BRUCE ARENA (1996-1998)

Ben Olsen defined the spirit of D.C. United. He was the personification of an attitude that says, 'It's never over.'"

-RAY HUDSON (2002-2003)

His tireless work ethic helped D.C. United achieve greatness on the pitch while helping to grow MLS from its infancy."

-PETER NOWAK (2004-2006)

He's the type of person an organization builds around, on and off the field."

-TOM SOEHN (2007-2009)

REALIZE YOUR POTENTIAL GUIDE ORGANIZATION CHANGE

Earn a Master's Degree in Organization Development in just one weekend a month.

World-class scholar-practioner faculty
 Client-focused, diversity-conscious OD
 International Residency
 International network of 1,300+ alums
 Discounted NTL programs
 Free Journal of Applied Behavioral Science

Meet faculty and current students at an Open House

Wednesday, December 2 at 5:30 p.m.

NAPA | 900 7th Street, NW, Suite 600 | Washington, DC

RSVP: spagrad@american.edu or 202-885-6206.

spa.american.edu/auntl



The Bible **Unmasked**

Sacred Cows in the Holy Book (or: Luscious Hidden Surprises of the Bible) Tuesday, December 1 at 7:00 p.m.

Q&A - Refreshments

\$5 donation is requested (\$3 for seniors/students)
Presented by Swedenborg Center for Worship and Study

CHURCH OF THE HOLY CITY

1611 16th Street, NW, Washington, DC. For further Information: 202-462-6734 or swedenborgcenter.org/events



Competitive Grant **Announcement 2009**

For Faith-Based and Community-Based Organizations, DC Wards 5, 6, 7 & 8

The Center for Neighborhood Enterprise announces a request for Faith-Based and Community-Based Organizations in Washington, DC's Wards 5, 6, 7 & 8 to submit Competitive Applications for Technical Assistance and/or Sub-Awards through the Department of Health and Human Services Compassion Capital Fund. CNE will

make up to 20 sub-awards/technical assistance awards as part of its Hand Across Network.

Sub-awards will average \$10,000 each.

INFORMATION SESSION NOVEMBER 30, 2009

- MANDATORY FOR ALL POTENTIAL APPLICANTS. Contact
Latisha Daniels: 202 518-6500, Idaniels@cneonline.org to
confirm attendance. Details: www.cneonline.org.



A program of the Center for Neighborhood Enterprise

Reach readers daily

SAVE 25% by running your ad Mon. - Fri.

To place a classified, call 202-334-6200.

To advertise a job, call 202-334-4100.

Credit cards accepted







Drywall Project Manager

Growing commercial drywall contractor is seek-ing motivated Project Managers with a minimum of 5 years direct commercial drywall manage-ment experience. Company offers opportunity for advancement and competitive compensation based on experience. Please email all resumes including proof of req'd experience to tech@pillarconstruction.com

CUSTOMER RELATIONS Looking for Full Time Work? Join Our Energy Savings Team. Immediate Room for Advance-nent. No Experience Required. Training Provide with Flexible Schedules & Starting Bonuses. Call Now to Apply. 301-685-1110

- Wanted for Gentleman's Club (PG County). \$300-\$500/night. No exp. needed. Please send a text msg for info: 240-286-3660

Dunkin Donuts is looking for energetic, hardwork ing, responsible workers. Immediate open vailable. Call 703-727-9954 ask for Maria Call 703-727-9954 ask for Maria Ortiz

HR Manager RN Clinical Manager for Healthcare Staffing Co. in Takoma Park, MD. OMV Medical Inc.

301.270.9212 charlene@omvmedical.com "Equal Opportunity Employer"

AND MUCH MORE

ES

HOUSI

RENTAL

JOBS

Apt. Comm. in NOVA seeking an experience leasing professional. Strong closer for fast pace office. P/T only; up to 25hrs a wk. weekend reqd. Email Res to ingal3719@cs.com w/salary requirement for consideration.

g Apt Comm. Falls Church, VA Seeking Certified HVAC Tech, experienced in all aspects of apt Maintenance. F/T w/benes. Background ck Redd. Call betwn 10am to 3pm, Mon-Thurs.C. Penninger

1st Stop... Long & Foster

Real Estate market conditions vary by region. Many markets in our area are on the upturn. If you're thinking about a Career in Real Estate, it's a great time to get licensed. Classes forming now- go to

www.thelfire.com for info on classes & schedules.

Take our FREE Online Aptitude Profile to find out whether real estate could be for you!

www. thelfire.com and click on the RealSTAR link. Or call: 800-543-3365.

LONG & FOSTER

Admiral Security Services has immediate openings for the following positions:

Field Manager (Salary + Car Allowance)
Duties include: directing & inspecting the performance of officers; scheduling, & training. Must have a minimum of 5 years experience in security or military and a clean DMV record and reliable car is required. Must be able to work various stiffs & weekends.

Logistics Administrator (32K - 38K)

Duties include: preparing and sending orders on-line to supply vendors. Distribute uniforms and supplies from stock. Confirm completion and accuracy of orders. Must be very organized and have superior attention to detail. Excellent math skills. Able to lift and unpack boxes up to 50 lbs. Excellent customer service skills.

Site Supervisors (32K – 42K)
Duties include: supervise security officers; scheduling, work distribution, training, and ensuring compliance w/ post orders The successful candidate must have a minimum of 2+ yrs supervisory exp. in security or military.

All positions require a good working knowledge of MS Excel, MS Outlook and MS Word, excellent oral and written interpersonal and communica-tion skills and the ability to work with minimum supervision. All candidates must take and pass a

> We offer a full benefits package If qualified, please email a resume to: jatwater@admiralsecurity.com

Admiral Security Services is an Equal Opportunity Employer M/F/D/V. VA License # 11-1017

RN Lead UR Coordinator

RN Lead UR Coordinator

Responsible for managing, reviewing daily activities of the UR staff & assisting mgmt to ensure attainment of established production standards & department goals. Significant knowledge of UR & CM processes. Three yrs clinical exp. & two yrs UR or CM exp. BSN preferred. Familiar with DC hospitals & UR/CM exp with DC Medicaid population. Excellent verbal & written comm skills. Computer literate. Send resumes to: resumes@caregivide.com Send resumes to: resumes@careguide.com

CAREER TRAINING

CAREER TRAINING

#1 BAR SCHOOL

- 1, 2, or 5 week programs
- Awesome job placement service
 On Metro and Free Parking

(703) 841 9700

www.bartending-school.com CTO-SCHEV

YES YOU CAN START A NEW CAREER IN THE NEW YEAR

No High School Diploma Required

MEDICAL ASSISTANT

- Medical Office Procedures
- Laboratory Procedures
- Medical Terminology
- Phlebotomy/Medical Billing
- · Assisting with Surgeries
- Work at hospitals/clinics
- And More

OFFICE ADMINISTRATION

- Windows/Word/Accounting
- Excel/Powerpoint/Web Design
- And More





Learn & Earn a Computer





Morning / Afternoon / Evening Morning classes filling quickly

CALL NOW!

Connecticut Ave., Suite 435 Conn. & K above Farragut North

GET THE SKILLS EMPLOYERS WANT TODAY!



Medical Office Assistant

- Medical Coder
- Medical Biller
- Medical Receptionist
- Medical Claims Adjuster
- Medical Insurance Processor



Office Administration

- Administrative Assistant
- Receptionist
- Customer Service
- Accounting Assistant
- Accounts Payable & Receivable

* Financial Aid Available If Qualified * Placement Assistance Available



Technical Institute

888-639-8766 2131 K St. NW

Formerly Career Blazers Learning Center $\operatorname{Btw.}\ 21\operatorname{st}\&22\operatorname{nd}\ \operatorname{St}$



Train in Diagnostic Medical Sonography

Call Now for a Brochure

sblandover.com A Leader In Healthcare Education



Sanford-Brown Institute | 8401 Corporate Drive, Suite 500 | Landover, MD 20785

ADVERTISE

in the **Career Training** Section

Call Peter Sande 202-334-6938 sandejp@washpost.com

PHARMACY TECHNICIAN TRAINING!

Learn the skills you need to work in pharmacies at drug stores, hospitals, grocery stores and more!

CALL TODAY! 888-805-2333

SANFORD-BROWN INSTITUTE 8401 Corporate Dr. Suite 500 Landover, MD 20785

MAKE A DIFFERENCE,

even with the little ones!

Train for a healthcare career in less time than you think. You could learn:

 MEDICAL ASSISTING
 DIAGNOSTIC MEDICAL SONOGRAPHY
 PHARMACY TECHNICIAN, and more!

CALL NOW 888-805-2333 Your new life is waiting!

Sanford-Brown Institute 8401 Corporate Dr. Ste 500 • Landover, MD 20785

PREPARE FOR A NEW LIFE!

Make a difference, even with the little ones as a Diagnostic Medical Sonographer Train in less time than you think!

Career Services Available

Financial Aid for those who qualify Training includes an externship! For a Brochure, Call Now!

888-805-2333 SANFORD-BROWN INSTITUTE

8401 Corporate Dr. Ste 500 Landover, MD 20785

Earn Your Degree MEDICAL ASSISTANT SANZ 1(888) 407-8222

Become a Medical Billing and Coding Professional

Career Technical Institute 888.639.6277

Become a Certified Computer Technician

Career Technical Institute 888.639.6244

EKG Technician In 10 Weeks

1-866-611-6448

MEDICAL BILLING & CODING SPECIALIST In 10 Weeks

1-866-611-6448

CAREER TRAINING



Learn PHLEBOTOMY

12 Weeks: Eves, Sat or Sun 1(888)461-8181

TRAIN FOR A CAREER IN MEDICAL ASSISTING AT **EVEREST COLLEGE!** Graduate in less

time than you think!
TRAIN FOR A CAREER IN MASSAGE THERAPY

EVEREST COLLEGE! FINANCIAL AID AVAILABLE FOR THOSE WHO QUALIFY CALL NOW! 1-888-291-1351

Visit us online at ww.SeeEverest.com VA Schools are CTO SCHEV

Everest COLLEGE

Everest INSTITUTE

MEDICAL LEARNING CENTER DAY, EVENING & WEEKEND CLASSES:

L.P.N. C.N.A. Licensed Practical Nurse

Certified Nurse

medicallearningcenterva.com 703-527-0055 • Certified SCHEV • Approved VBON

APRENDA

Ayuda Financiera si califica

DENTAL ASSISTANT

In 10 Weeks

1-866-611-6448

PHLEBOTOMY

In 10 Weeks 1-866-611-6448

A Bar Career In 1-2 Weeks

Days, Eve & Weekend Classes
Free Lifetime Local & National Job Placement Assistance
Call for nearest location 1-866-411-2MIX







Want a healthier income? Become a **Massage Therapist** in just 7 months! Call NMTI today! 888-233-7855

BUSINESS AND FINANCIAL OPPORTUNITIES

Teachers/Nurses-Earn \$1000 per month working from home part-time. Training provided. Call 888-226-4811

Vending Rt. Must Sell. Hi-Vol Accts Manassas, Centerville, Ashburn Frederick, Silver Spring, Balt., DC 202-439-6100

STUFF

\$145 Queen Pillowtop Mattress Set. ew in plastic. Can Del. 240-372-6691 New in plastic. Can Del.

3Pc King Pillowtop matt set. \$250. New in plastic. Can del. 301-399-7870

6Pc Cherry Bedroom set. New in boxes. Take \$450. 301-399-7870

BLOWOUT SALE!

Carpet \$1.69 sq ft, Hardwood floor \$5.98 sq ft. Price includes installation. 301-341-2499

Clothing—Black Friday Weekend 11/27-11/28 10am - 4pm; Gently Used Designer Clothing & Shoes for W & M. 514 Cedar Ave., Ft. Washington,

KASHMIR HANDICRAFTS
Pashmina Shawls, Hand knotted silk carpets
Jackets, Paper Machie & stoles 866.267.5660
3222 M. Street 2nd Flr. DC 20007

MATTRESS DISTRIBUTER CLEARANCE 30% -70% off retail. Sets Starting at \$89 All Brand New & In Plastic 301-343-8630

PIANO- Steinway Grand. 19 yrs old. Model M, 5'7". High polished black lacquor. Pristine condition. Well maintained. Must sell. \$28,000. **412-831-8786**

Sofa—Beautiful Used Henredon Down Sofa!\$1,000.00, Ellicott City, MD, 443-756-9066 Must be able to pick up!

MUSIC

PIANO - 1905 Ebony Steinway Grand, model A, 6'1" 2nd owner, lovingly cared for, lots of life! \$23,500. Call:804-272-9294

CAREER TRAINING

CAREER EDUCATION

BECOME A MASSAGE THERAPIST IN JUST Train Today and Enjoy: A school dedicated to massage therapy Financial aid and job placement specialists on staff A choice of day, evening CALL TODAY! and weekend classes (800) 570-5140

WILMINGTON, DE • PHILADELPHIA, PA • TURNERSVILLE, NJ • EGG HARBOR TOWNSHIP, NJ • FALLS CHURCH, VA

TICKETS

AIRLINE TICKET VOUCHERS Anywhere, half price. International as well. Call **702-502-6306**

Redskins Tickets - LOGE Seats - Like a Suite w/Heat A/C, FREE FOOD, Sec L 419, Row 3, Sts 11-12 w/Purpl Pkg. Call 561-271-8727

A+ Cat/Kittens —ISO Homes! See pics of current kittens @ www.spcanova.org 703.799.9390 Many to Choose From!

ADOPT A CAT/KITTEN—Vet checked. Call Feline Foundation.

. www.ffgw.org AUSTRALIAN SHEPHERD Female. Mini-mix pups. Gorgeous blue merle, 1 blue eyes. Parents on premises. S&W. \$345 cash.10 weeks.301-797-5645

BEAGLE PUPPIES - Tri color. Shots & wormed.
Males & weeks. Cash only Males. 8 weeks. Cash only. Call 410-795-4169

BISCHON FRISE - 2nd shots, wormed, non-shed, Male and Female,CKC reg. 8 wks old. \$300. 301-672-1072 or 240-925-8032

BOSTONTERRIERPUPS- ACA Reg, 11 weeks, 1 male \$600, 1 female \$650. S&W, health guarantee.**540-672-2480 or 540-219-1029 NSH4**

BOSTON TERRIER- Purebred reg pups, 9 weeks, beautiful markings, parents on premises, raised w children, S/W, ready to go. \$600 **540-414-4319** CHIHUAHUA—AKC, 8-12wks old.Lifetime health guarantee, shots, health records, paper trained, adult size 2-7lbs, pet and show. 301-812-1578

CHIHUAHUAPUPS- CKC reg, M/F, teacup to standard, S&W Hlth guar. 8 wks. Parents on prem. \$450-\$550. 540-672-2480/ 540-219-1029. NSHX

DASCHUND MINI - 2nd shots, wormed, CKC reg, many colors, long and short hair. \$350. 301-672-1072 or 240-925-8032 READY NOW LAB PUPS - Pure bred. 9 weeks, Yellows & chocolates. Vet checked, S & W. Absolutely gorgeous! 301-741-8363 \$300. Pics at washingtonpost.com

LABRADOR PUPS - Chocolate, AKC, Male & Female, S/W, family raised, Reserve yours now. Ready 12/4 \$600. 540-522-1164 / 540-825-0643 PUGGLES Adorable Males & Females, Shots &

wormed, very healthy, family raised, ready now! \$275. **540-325-6033 lv msg** ROTTWEILER PUPS- Mom German import, world famous lines. Dad import son of Balou. Have massive bones & heads 6 mo . 410-290-7155

SIBERIAN HUSKY PUPS- AKC, black/white and gray/white, blue eyes. \$500. 8 weeks. 540-877-1567 timreissig@yahoo.com

YORKIE/SILKY/YORKIE-POO M/F, 11 wks, black & gold, little baby face cuties, shots & wormed, health guarn \$325-\$625. **301-252-9213**

RENTALS

16TH & EST - Close to Rosedale, newly renovated. 1 bedroom plus den, Central Air , Available immediately. \$800 + utilities. (703)307-0342

ADAMS MORGAN/NW,DC-furnished Corporat Suites, Just bring your toothbrush, 202-320-7020 www.adamsmorgansuites.com

ADELPHI

1 & 2 BR's 1 1/2 MONTHS FREE*

Call for 3 BR Special FREE UTILITIES for 6 mos.* If You See It, You'll Want Ít

- Better than new renovations
- New kitchens
- · Controlled access buildings · Direct bus service to Metro
- 1 & 2 BRs available
- Siennna Creek

301-825-9045 *Subject to change

High Rise- Beautiful Views
All Utilities Included Studios from 1 BR 2 BR \$1230 703-751-7576 *See Agent for details

Alexandria - Fairfax County—\$1350.00, 1 br, 1 ba, 1 Fls, Parking gar, 4862 Eisenhower Ave, Alexandria, VA,Walk/free shuttle to Metro,Hlth Fac, club house, Bus Ctr, DW,WW Carpet, New Crpt, WD, pool, parking, 571-432-7019

Arlington South—\$1350 -1 br/1 ba, 704 S. Arlington Mill. Dr. Arl, VA, pets ok, DW, patio, Hw Firs, storage, pool. prkng. 202-486-7077

BOWIE - 3/4 bdrm SFH, 2.5 ba, garage, hdwd flrs in liv rm, din rm and kit, fam rm with frpl, W/D, fenced yard, deck, \$1895/mo. 301-774-3620

AI.FXANDRIA

1ST Month FREE OAKS OF WOODLAWN

799 Old Colony Way, Alex, VA 22309

2 Bedroom

\$1075 \$1315

- Great location five minutes to Ft. Belvoir 15 min or less to 95,495, DC, Old Town
- · Full size washer/dryer in each apartment
- 24-Hour Emergency Maintenance Free water and trash

CALL TODAY FOR DETAILS! (866) 711-7880

Alexandria—\$2150.00, 3 br,2 ba,Del Ray, 901 Ramsey St 703-690-4114. Cute house 1bl to Br Rd metro, ren kit, hdwd fls, fncd yd, sm dogs.

Arts District in Hyattsville

MOVE-IN SPECIAL

1 & 2 Bedroom Apartments

Lovely Setting Nr. the New ARTS DISTRICT Close to Shopping & Metro

CASTLE MANOR Call TODAY! 866-464-0993

ADELPHI, MD.

WHAT'S NOT TO LIKE?

Completely Renovated

1 & 2 BR-1 1/2 MONTH FREE Call for 3 BR Special

- FREE UTILITIES FOR 6 MONTHS*
- New appliances Open living areas
- Controlled access buildings UMD Shuttle Stop on-site Minutes to I-495
- 1,2 and 3 BRs available
 - **ARBOR VISTA** 301-825-9046

AFFORDABLE FORECLOSURES! 3BR 2BA \$199/mo! 5BR 2BA \$297/mo! (5%dn, 15yrs @8%) For Listings 800-585-3617 X R716

Alexandria.VA

LIVE...WORK...PLAY The Meadow Woods WAY!

HUGE 1,2 & 3 BEDROOM FLOOR PLANS BRAND NEW RENOVATED KITCHENS & BATHS ONYX COLORED APPLIANCES CERAMIC TILE FLOORING NEW WINDOWS & BALCONY DOORS

BRAND NEW "FITNESS CENTER"
CONVENIENT LOCATION

GREAT SPECIALS call for details Beautiful 1, 2, & 3 BRs starting at \$895

Call Now (888) 823-7689

Welcome Home

Seven Springs Village

888-425-8068

9310 Cherry Hill Road. College Park, MD 20740

SevenSpringsVillage.com

from the • All Utilities Included

Onsite UMD & **Metro Shuttles**

Pool & Fitness Center

Summerlyn Place

888-804-3324

14706 Normandy Court Laurel, MD 20708

SummerlynPlaceApts.com

888-217-1901 from the

Cypress Creek

LAUREL, MD **LIVE FREE TILL 2010!**

COLLEGE PARK, MD

· Each apt. w/washer & dryer Designer Kitchens

Ask About Free Rent

HYATTSVILLE, MD

Each apt. w/washer & dryer

Eye-Opening Renovations

Spacious and open floor plans

FORESTVILLE, MD

Regency Pointe

866-906-4875 from the

5603 Cypress Creek Drive

CypressCreekApts.com

Hyattsville, MD 20782

3253 Walters Lane Forestville, MD 20747 RegencyPointeApts.com

 Huge apartment homes Walk to shopping

and dining Near 495

Westgate of Laurel

877-271-5617

8114 Gorman Ave. Suite 241 Laurel, MD 20707 WestgateofLaurel.com

LAUREL. MD Washer/Dryer in every

apt home Huge walk-in closets

Onsite Daycare

Near BW Parkway and Rt. 1



 R EALTY A PTS. COM



WeekendPass

EXPICESS HIGHLIGHTING THE BEST IN WASHINGTON-AREA ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT | NOVEMBER 25-29, 2009





www.arthurmurraydc.com

What you do on the dance floor is our business!

[on the] Spot*

John Woo has dreamed

of adapting "Romance of the Three Kingdoms" his entire life. The Hong Kong-born director first read the epic Chinese novel



Woo

as a boy, and 40 years later he has finally turned the story into "Red Cliff," which is the topgrossing movie in Asia.

What fascinated you about this novel?

I grew up with the story, which has many heroes that I admire. I read a lot of comic books about the story when I was 10 or 11 years old, and have seen a couple of movies about it. It's a rich part of Chinese history, and it has an important theme of courage. A small army can defeat a more powerful enemy through friendship, innovation and intelligence.

Why did you decide to make this film in China?

I thought I could only make it in China. I've been working in Hollywood for over 16 years, and I thought it was time to take what I had learned to Asia, because there are so many young talented people in China who have great passion for movies. They need to learn, so I thought it was a good time for them to work on a big-budget Hollywood-type movie in Asia.

How was filming there different than filming in Hollywood?

In Hollywood, you have to consider so many things for making a movie, but in China, I didn't have to take notes from anyone, and I didn't have to take any meetings. I just closed the door and did my work.

The China version of "Red Cliff" is more than five hours long, and the American version is half that.





of Chinese history and it has an important theme of courage."

Why did you decide to make two different cuts?

The Asian audience really knows this part of history and this story, so I could spend a much longer time developing the characters and showing their relationships. The American audience, however, is not as familiar with the history and the characters, so we decided to focus on the main storyline and the key characters.

Is there any chance of a full release in the U.S.?

I think so. We might release the five-hour Asian version on DVD. It had a love story between the princess in love with an enemy soldier, which was a very good message as well. Stephen M. Deusner

→ Opens Fri., area theaters.





Concerts, movies, events, restaurants and more.

Entertainment | WeekendPass

An Antiquated Vessel

'Show Boat's' music is current, but the story shows its age

STAGE | Sometimes we just have to leave the past in the past.

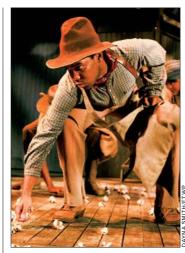
In 1927, "Show Boat" changed Broadway forever. It popularized the concept of a musical drama, nuanced characterizations and people breaking into song without an excuse. And several numbers from the show have entered the popular lexicon — "Old Man River" and "Can't Help Lovin' Dat Man" spring to mind.

But "Show Boat," now playing

at Signature Theatre, is mired in outdated and upsetting attitudes. Though considered progressive when it opened, the play's racist stereotypes and misogynistic storyline will leave today's audiences gaping.

Add to that that "Show Boat" is a behemoth, written to be several hours long. Signature's version is less than three hours, but it's forced to skimp on characterization to keep the running time bearable. And yes, it still feels too long.

Bobby Smith, as hoofer Frank Schultz, is the only actor on the stage who transcends the show's



Black laborers pick cotton in the opening scene of the musical "Show Boat."

problems. Other actors (including D.C. favorites Harry A. Winter and Will Gartshore) try their best, but most of the company is buried under the weight of a show that feels at best irrelevant.

The plot threads are manifold, but the most important story concerns young couple Magnolia (Stephanie Waters) and Gaylord (Gartshore), who are torn apart by his gambling habit. But the characters' clownish costumes — distracting bustles and orange pants — all but eclipse this romantic drama. With the emotion erased, the lovers seem like two hats singing at each other.

→ Signature Theatre, 4200 Campbell Ave., Arlington; through Jan. 17, \$30-\$74; 800-551-7328, sig-online.org.

HotTickets



John Mayer Verizon Center, Feb. 20, \$42.50-\$78; 800-55I-7328.

Korpiklaani Jaxx, Jan. 16, \$20; 800-551-7328.

Jonathan Coulton Birchmere, March 12, \$29.50; 800-551-7328.

Magnetic Fields Lisner, Feb. 4, \$35; 800-551-7328.

'The Last Cargo Cult' Woolly Mammoth Theatre, Jan. I6, \$27-\$62; 202-393-3939.



National Symphony Orchestra

POPS

Marvin Hamlisch, Principal Pops Conduct

The Music of

MEREDITH WILLSON'S



Marvin Hamlisch



Shirley Jones



Patrick Cassidy



Rebecca Luker

with The City Choir of Washington

The NSO Pops presents a musical revue of some of songwriter Meredith Willson's best-known tunes as well as selections from his Tony Award®-winning blockbuster musical, *The Music Man*.

November 27 at 1:30 p.m. & 8 p.m. November 28 at 8 p.m.

Kennedy Center Concert Hall

*Mention offer code 45966 for \$39 seating on Fri., Nov. 27 at 1:30 p.m. Available online, at the Box Office, or charge by phone (202) 467-4600. Offer subject to availability. Not valid in combination with any other offer. Not valid on previously purchased tickets. Offer may be withdrawn at any time.



THE MUSIC MAN CONCERT VERSION
is presented through special arrangement
with Music Theatre International (MTI)

The Music of MEREDITH WILLSON'S

The Music Man

BOOK, MUSIC, AND LYRICS BY MEREDITH WILLSON

MEREDITH WILLSON and FRANKLIN LACEY

CONCERT ADAPTATION BY
EVANS
HAILE

Audi is the proud sponsor of the 2009-2010 National Symphony Orchestra Pops Season.

Audi Truth in Engineering

Tickets at the Box Office or charge by phone (202) 467-4600 | Order online at kennedy-center.org | Groups (202) 416-8400 | TTY (202) 416-8524

NIGHTCLUB



815 V ST NW DC

DECEMBER

i Viva Christmas! EL VEZ and LOS STRAITJACKETS & the Lovely Elvettes w/ The Hall Monitors	Th 3
2009 PACTOUR featuring Saosin • P.O.S. • Innerpartysystem • Eye Alaska	F 4
Cross Canadian Ragweed w/ Ha Ha Tonka	Su 6
Raphael Saadiq w/ Anjulie	М 7
Brendan Benson w/ Cory Chisel and The Wandering Sons	W 9
GWAR w/ Job for a Cowboy & The Red Chord	Th 10
Railroad Earth w/ The Infamous Stringdusters	F 11
The Pietasters w/ Ruder Than You • Break Ups • The Moderators	Sa 12
Lee "Scratch" Perry w/ SEE-I	M 14
ONLY BUILT 4 CUBAN LINX PT. II TOUR Raekwon w/ Capone and Noreaga & Queen Yonasda	Tu 15
The Greyboy Allstars	F 18
Junior League Band & Justin Jones and the Driving Rain w/ American Aquarium	
My Favorite Highway & The Friday Night Boys w/ The Downtown Fiction & Steven Moakler	Su 20
Stephen Kellogg and the Sixers w/ The Alternate Routes	Sa 26
Clutch w/ Doomriders • Lionize • Never Got Caught	M 28
THE ROOTSTu 29 &	W 30

Spend New Year's Eve with

Sharon Jones AND THE DAP-KINGS

W/ Fitz and The Tantrums

December 31

Complimentary Champagne Toast at Midnight!



TICKETS.COM: 800-955-5566 • www.930.com

2010

ATTENTION!

9:30 Shows in 2010 and beyond are now sold through Ticketfly.com

JANUARY

Tate w/ RemyF 1
IOGOL BORDELLO Sa 2 & Su 3
ity and ColourTh 7
onor By AugustF8
JD2 w/ Happy ChichesterSa 9

Ticketfly.com: 1-877-4FLY-TIX • www.930.com



9:30 CUPCAKES

The best thing you could possibly put in your mouth Cupcakes by BUZZ... your neighborhood bakery in Alexandria, VA. • www.buzzonslaters.com

LM.P. PRESENTS

D.A.R. Constitution Hall • Washington, D.C.

THIS TUESDAY!





PIXES

w/ Mew

DECEMBER 1

TICKETMASTER: 202-397-SEAT • 410-547-SEAT • 703-573-SEAT • 800-551-SEAT www.TICKETMASTER.com • www.930.com

ANNUAL ROCKIN' RAFFLE! GENEROSITY REWARDED.

Bring Canned Goods, Clean (New or Used) Clothes or a \$5 monetary donation

to the 9:30 Club from Nov. 25th through Dec. 31st for a chance to win

Grand prize is 2 tickets to every 9:30 Club show in 2010! Visit 930.com for more info.

THIS SEASON, GIVE THAT GUY OR GIRL SOMETHING THEY'LL REMEMBER

9:30 GIFT CARDS Good for shows & bar tabs!

9:30 CLUBWEAR is the perfect fit!
Including our newest selection of infants onesies & kids T's.

Available at www.930.com / 202-265-0930

9:30 CLUB GIFTS ARE SWEET.

Entertainment | WeekendPass



Highway Through Hell

John Hillcoat takes us down 'The Road' and finds modern fears along the way

FILM | After significant delays, the much-anticipated film adaptation of Cormac McCarthy's novel "The Road" is finally making it to the big screen. In the movie, director John Hillcoat captures both the stark desperation and the rich humanity of the Pulitzer prize-winning novel. In a recent interview with Express, Hillcoat discussed the appeal and the challenge of translating McCarthy's work into film.

Hillcoat said he was drawn to McCarthy's "unflinching view of humanity." The film takes place in a brutal post-apocalyptic land-scape, where the few who survive lead a bleak and comfortless existence. The story follows a father and son as they attempt to keep living despite all the odds.

THE FACTTHAT [THE ROAD'] IS NOWTHE SINGLE MOSTTRANSLATED BOOK OF MODERNTIMESTELLS METHAT FOCUSING ONTHE DARK IS JUST LOOKING ATTHE BACKGROUND."

The dark nature of the film might be a deterrent for audience members, but, as Hillcoat explained, "The fact that it's now the single most translated book of modern times tells me that focusing on the dark is just looking at the background or the scenery."

Expectations for "The Road" are especially high considering the massive success of the Coen Brothers' cinematic take on McCarthy's equally dark "No Country For Old Men."

"Luckily, I got the book before it was published and before 'No Country' came out," said Hillcoat. "I focus on the task at hand and try not to be distracted, because it could be a huge distraction."

Turning a book into a movie while retaining the original's spirit and tone is no easy task.

Hillcoat explained, "You've really got to distill it down. Just as a simple example, the shopping cart in the book — you go along with that, and it's a great image. But when that shopping cart is being pushed through the woods at high speeds with falling trees — when you make that a physical reality, no one's going to buy that."

"The Road" centers entirely on the unnamed father and son, so casting the right actors to portray them was crucial. For Hillcoat, Viggo Mortensen was the clear choice for the role of the father. "He's got an everyman's face and an incredible physicality to him," Hillcoat explained. "He's got a commitment, he's very intense, and he'll go 110 percent. It was very challenging for him because he's in every scene and he goes through every single emotion."

Kodi Smit-McPhee, who plays the son, was a relative unknown when he was hired. Hillcoat has no regrets.

"That was just a great gift." During one scene in the film, Mortensen washes 11-year-old Kodi's hair in icy cold water. No one realized quite how cold the water was until after the scene was

over. "It was like [Kodi] was suddenly a Brando or DeNiro, where he was really crying, yet he was playing in the scene. Afterward, we find out that he was really cold, and I said, 'Look, from now on you've just got to tell me."

The source of the story's catastrophe is never explicitly named,

The movie captures the stark desperation and rich humanity of the Pulizter Prizewinning novel.

but it's easy to connect it to current fears such as terrorism and global warming. In the film, Hill-coat subtly capitalizes on contemporary anxieties without directly attributing the apocalypse to any one event.

"What I thought was incredible in the book was that the apocalypse felt so familiar yet non-specific," said Hillcoat. "The tower and smoke in some of the background shots [in the film] are actually from 9/11. We utilized a shot of boats sitting on a freeway; that's real 70mm IMAX footage shot two days after Hurricane Katrina happened. We've changed the sky and the grass to incorporate it into our world, and it became non-specific, but it feels familiar."

With all of the film's grandiose cinematography, real beauty emerges out of the immense devastation. Addressing this seeming contradiction, Hillcoat said, "I think this is what's so great about 'Apocalypse Now'— it tapped into this innate uncomfortable truth that sometimes there is great beauty in mass destruction.

"It's like a forest fire. If you're not conscious of the actual damage or the literal threat, if you just look at it aesthetically, some of the images are stunningly beautiful. Of course, to put it into context, it's an absolute disaster."

→ Opens Wed., area theaters

WeekendPass Entertainment

Let the Light Unify Us

Reggae hip-hopper Matisyahu brings the people together through his music

MUSIC | Before Matisyahu was "the Jewish reggae guy," Matthew Miller was a bona fide "Phan" one of the legions who followed jam band Phish on tour during the '90s. At the band's reunion in Hampton, Va., this March, Matisyahu — who's since toured with Phish frontman Trey Anastasio — returned to the well.

"I think I've moved on a little bit, which is the case with a lot of people," he said.

"We had those life-changing experiences at those shows and in our youth," he added. "It totally formed us and inspired us. A lot of our lives are searching for inspiration through maybe more authentic means, without drugs, and even music, to try to reach



Matisyahu, born Matthew Miller, informs his music from his religion and the ecstatic communal experience of Phish shows.

those heights, and a lot of people obviously have been unsuccessful. There was that feeling of: Can we have this again?"

The guy who used to take LSD at Phish shows is now a devout

father of two, one whose song "One Day" will be featured prominently during the 2010 Winter Olympics.

"I don't think you could write a better song for the Olympics," Matisyahu said. "The song is about getting past the differences and coming together. It's about hope and unification — that's what the whole deal with the Olympics is."

The song is also the first sin-

On 'Light,' he expands his musical palate beyond spiritually charged reggae and rap.

gle from Matisyahu's third studio album, "Light," which was released three years after "Youth" following a host of delays. On it, he expands his musical palate beyond his trademark spiritually charged reggae and rap.

"The process leading up to 'Light' was listening to a lot more music: more electronic stuff, indierock stuff — still hip-hop and reggae, but variations of it all," he said. "So I wanted to try working with people who are involved in those genres to create one sound. I wanted to bring people together."

Sounds like something from Phish's playbook. RUDI GREENBERG (EXPRESS)

→ Sixth & I Synagogue, 600 I Street NW; with Trevor Hall, Wed., 8 p.m.; \$40 in advance, \$45 at the door; 202-408-3100. (Gallery Place-Chinatown)



Sebastian La Cause, top, with Timothy Ware (Matt) and Addie McDaniel (Luisa).

The Prevention of Love

'The Fantasticks' creates holiday magic minus the reindeer

STAGE | Those seeking theatrical warm fuzzies in the next month or so - without talk of sugarplum fairies, that freaky Ghost of Christmas Future or Santa in any incarnation — have an outlet in Arena Stage's production of Tom Jones' and Harvey Schmidt's "The Fantasticks."

The plot involves two fathers who decide that their respective children are so well-matched that they build a wall to prevent them from falling in love. Indeed, they hope that Matt and Luisa will actually do what children do best: defy their parents.

Chock full of magic, timeless numbers ("Try to Remember" and "Soon It's Gonna Rain") and romance, the oft-performed musical may seem a bit ubiquitous in American theaters, but director Amanda Dehnert has a few tricks up her sleeve.

First, the action will take place at an abandoned amusement park called Rocky Point, a nod to the musical's "magic and wonder and carnival" aspects, Dehnert said in a recent telephone interview. "I would say there's an environment we've created," she said. "It's meant to evoke a sense of place."

The decision to cast African-

American actor Timothy Ware as Matt worked to enhance both the musical's diversity and talent level, she said.

"I really believe that people should be able to see themselves in the play," Dehnert said. "I also believe in casting the best actors for the job."

Indeed, Dehnert cited the audience's connection to the characters as key to the musical's success. "It's an intimate story," she said. "It's a human story about things we can all understand." ERIN TROMPETER

→ Arena Stage in Crystal City, 1800 S. Bell St., Arlington; through Jan. 10, \$25-\$74; 202-488-3300. (Crystal City)

FOTOWEEK | VID STUFF



ALL IN THE GAME: Artist Kenny George turns his work - and himself - into a commodity with "Pacguy," an interactive installation/ exhibit/cocktail arcade game at Flashpoint Gallery through Dec. 19.

Entertainment | WeekendPass



Ordinary-looking angels watch over the citizens of a divided Berlin in Wim Wenders' beautiful allegory of the division of soul.

Angels On a High

Criterion releases a ravishing new DVD of Wim Wenders' 1987 film 'Wings of Desire'

DVD | Long a cult favorite, Wim Wenders' 1987 film "Wings of Desire" has proved to be a quietly influential depiction of Berlin, inspiring U2's experimental period in the early 1990s, R.E.M.'s video for "Everybody Hurts" and an awful Nicolas Cage movie called "City of Angels."

Despite its notoriety, however, "Wings" has been almost impossible to find on DVD: One barebones edition was released in 2003 and went almost immediately out of print.

So a new version is certainly cause for excitement among fans of the German director, especially if it's from Criterion, the DVD company that lovingly packages art-house fare as film-studies seminars.

Borrowing a concept from poet Rainer Maria Rilke, the film follows a pair of angels as they hover over post-Cold War Berlin, reading the deepest spiritual thoughts of Germans going about their mun-

The cleaned-up version brings out the stark beauty of Wenders' compositions.

dane lives.

One of the angels, Damiel (played by Bruno Ganz, who has the kindest face imaginable), longs to be human and falls in love with a dreamy trapeze artist (Solveig Dommartin, who performs all her acrobatic stunts herself).

Wenders strikes a precarious balance between somber and whimsical, but the Criterion edition shows how "Wings of Desire" could have turned out incredibly different.

One deleted scene shows another angel (the beatific Otto Sander) imitating humans on the

sidewalk as if performing a comedy routine, and another shows an alternate ending that involves a pie fight.

Fortunately, these are only deleted scenes and not part of the finished movie, which Wenders and cinematographer Henri Alekan shoot largely from the angels' point of view, the camera floating around a spacious library and soaring around the statue of Victoria.

The picture has been cleaned up considerably (especially on the Blu-Ray edition), bringing out the stark beauty of Wenders' compositions and the contrast between the austere black and white of the angels' point of view and the bold colors of the human world.

In that sense, Berlin is a spiritually and politically divided city, bisected by an actual and an allegorical wall. But "Wings of Desire" portrays it as both a desolate place and as a blank page on which humans and spirits can rewrite their own stories.



WeekendPass Entertainment



Tony Curtis, Marilyn Monroe and Jack Lemmon star in "Some Like It Hot."

Let It All Out

With Thanksgiving looming, we all try to get along with our loved ones. It's best not to reveal that Cousin Joe likes to wear ladies' dainties, or to greet the mother in law by swinging an ax at her door and bellowing, "I'm home!" So AFI Silver offers the family-frustrated a chance for a little catharsis this season. Special engagements of Billy Wilder's comedy classic "Some Like It Hot" (screening all weekend, as well as Tuesday) and Stanley Kubrick's indelible domestic horror tale "The Shining" (showing through Saturday; also Monday and Tuesday) let you enjoy chaos, then return to your previously scheduled holiday with a casserole in your hands and a smile on your face.

→ AFI SILVER, 8633 COLESVILLE ROAD, SILVER SPRING; 301-495-6700, AFI.COM/ SILVER. (SILVER SPRING)

Great Ladies

Divas roam the Earth — or at least the Pickford Theater at the Library of Congress — on Monday when the library screens the opulent tragic biopic "Lady Sings the Blues" as part of its "Motown in the Fall" Monday-night film series. Diana Ross stars as Billie Holliday in this 1972 stunner by Sidney J. Furie.

→ LIBRARY OF CONGRESS, JAMES MADISON BUILDING, 101 INDEPENDENCE AVE. SE; MON., 7 P.M., FREE; 202-707-5677, LOC.GOV. (UNION STATION/CAPITOL SOUTH)

Lost, & Found, in Space

'Farscape' took familiar tropes and gave them enough spin to win cultists

DVD | "Star Trek" fans are used to their aliens looking pretty human; sometimes all it took was a set of pointy ears.

The cult series "Farscape" (1999-2003) took the opposite tack: Co-creator Brian Henson wanted "the 'Star Wars' bar on a weekly basis," as he says in a commentary track on "Farscape: The Complete Series Megaset" (\$149.95). Luckily, he'd just taken over his dad, Jim Henson's, Creature Shop, which meant two of the series' lead characters and many of the guest aliens were actually state-of-the-art animatronics.

The main character, though, is the all-too-human John Crichton, a goofy hunk astronaut who's accidentally shot through a wormhole and ends up on the living ship Moya with a crew of escaped prisoners. They evade the blackleather-clad Peacekeepers, but



not before Crichton accidentally kills the brother of their evil goateed leader, Crais, who goes into full revenge mode before eventually becoming an ally.

Despite a too-hip sensibility (with episode titles like "We're So Screwed"), much of the series is a special effects-laden take on classic themes and archetypes. There's the Earth hero in a strange land conceit, and fantasy fans will notice the Moya's alien crew literally includes a warrior, a priest and a thief. Combine that with a setting in the galaxy's "Uncharted Territories" and you're all set for 88 episodes.

Those 88 episodes (29 of which have commentary tracks) on 26 discs inexplicably do not include a subtitle option, but do include 15 hours of bonus stuff such as the spoiler-filled "Farscape Undressed," a catch-up special

Despite a too-hip sensibility, the series is a special effects-laden take on classic themes.

originally designed to entice new viewers into watching the thirdseason premiere. The "Listening In" featurettes with the series composer are pure filler, but the cast interviews are fascinating it turns out a Shakespeare background is a good prep for doing epic sci-fi.

Though they don't call "Trek" out by name, the co-creators wryly note that it was a conscious decision to keep "technobabble" out of their epic: "Don't explain it, just do it." PAUL STELTER



THE WASHINGTON POST'S FILM CRITICS TACKLE THIS WEEK'S BOX-DEFICE TOP IN

■ The Twilight Saga: New Moon

Despite melodrama that, at times, is enough to induce diabetes, there's enough in this sexy, scary romp to please anyone. MICHAEL O'SULLIVAN

2 | The Blind Side

Grounded in the truth of the characters' experience, the movie has a lack of cheap sentiment. ANN HORNADAY

3 | 2012

Director Roland Emmerich flesh-



Sandra Bullock stars in the inspirational film "The Blind Side" hased on a true story

es out pseudo-history with pseudoscience and throws hundreds of millions of dollars at it. DAN KOIS

4 | Planet 51

This animated movie about a human astronaut stuck on a planet of little green men is cute, but it's no great beauty. MICHAEL O'SULLIVAN

5 | Disney's A Christmas Carol

The holiday classic gets a manic makeover that is antic, sweet and slightly soulless. MICHAEL O'SULLIVAN

6 | Precious: Based on the Novel 'Push' by Sapphire This movie surely qualifies as the

most painful, poetic and improbably beautiful film of the year. міснаєц

7 | The Men Who Stare at Goats

This is a smart, amusing picaresque that unfortunately retains a cool ironic distance. Ann hornaday

8 | Couples Retreat

"Couples Retreat" relies on foreign accents, racial stereotypes and Speedos to supply the funny. DAN ZAK

9 | The Fourth Kind

An unintentionally silly thriller about alien abduction. MICHAEL O'SULLIVAN

10 | Law Abiding Citizen

A preposterous exercise in highminded brutality. DAN KOIS

Entertainment | WeekendPass



Nights In White Satin

On Friday, Saturday and Sunday, the Baltimore Symphony Orchestra celebrates the music of Swedish pop sensations Abba as part of the orchestra's quirky BSO SuperPops series. Abba tribute band Waterloo, above, joins the classically trained musicians at the Meyerhoff in Baltimore for

an evening of deliriously irresistible disco, soaring ballads and sugary pop. Mom never mentioned all those violin lessons would lead to this.

→ Joseph Meyerhoff Symphony Hall, 1212 Cathedral St., Baltimore, Md.; Fri. & Sat., 8 p.m.; Sun., 3 p.m.; \$34-\$70; 410-783-8000, BSOmusic.org.

Wild, Not Heritage, Turkey

You can keep your cranberry jelly out of the can — for some of us,
Thanksgiving is about grindhouse movies and Wild Turkey shots
in a creepy sideshow atmosphere. That's where H Street NE's

Palace of Wonders comes in, presenting its third annual "Quentin Tarantino
Thanksgiving." Things get weird about 9:30 p.m.; bring enough cash for
cheap Pabst Blue Ribbons and, heck, bring grandma, too, if she's into it.

→ 1210 H St NE; Thu., 9:30 p.m., free; 202-398-7469, palaceofwonders.com.



Gifts From the Globe

The influences are strong in Siona Benjamin's colorful paintings in "Blue Like Me" — Indian miniatures, Sephardic icons and American bold-

ness. Benjamin is originally from the Bene Israel Jewish community in Bombay, India, and uses her work to express her feelings about growing up amid Muslims and Hindus, relocating to the United States and developing an identity in an increasingly small world.

→ Washington D.C. Jewish Community Center, Ann Bronfman Gallery, 529 16th St. NW; through Jan. 29; 202-518-9400, washingtondcjcc.org.

No Spoilers Here

It's that time of year again, when Ford's Theatre raises the curtain on its annual production of "A Christmas Carol." But

wait—what's this? An entirely fresh "Carol"? It's no humbug: Under the direction of Signature Theatre's Michael Baron, the holiday ghost story gets a faceluft and an extra sprinkle of fairy dust. Edward Gero takes the role of crusty old miser Ebenezer Scrooge; we won't tell you how it ends.

NW; through Jan. 3, 16-\$65; 800-551-7328, fords.org. (Metro Center)





Hold The Patchouli

Neo hippies — you gotta love them. Not only are they tidier and clearerminded than their baby boomer progenitors, they traffic in a wide range of musical styles. Facial hair aside, Devendra Banhart is a serious-minded musi-

cian who invites everything from jazz to intricately close harmonies (executed with members of his band, the Grogs) to Spanish lyrics into his freak-folk tent. Sure, there are freewheeling jams, but Banhart's too smart to let a good set, like the one fans can expect at the 9:30 Club on Wednesday, to run away with him.

→ 9:30 Club, 815 V St. NW; with Dorothy and the Originals, 8 p.m., \$30; 800-955-5566, 930.com. (U St.-Cardozo)



Sound

→ WEDNESDAY

9:30 Club: Devendra Barnhart and the Grogs, Dorothy and the Originals, 7 p.m., \$30.

Birchmere: Tommy Castro, Coco Montova, 7:30 p.m., \$25.

Black Cat: Midnight Kids, the Cheniers, 9 p.m., \$8.

Blues Alley: JD Experience, 8 & 10 p.m., \$18.

DC9: Free Energy, Radio Fatale, 9 p.m.,

Fur: Paul van Dyk, 9 p.m., \$20-\$30.

Jammin' Java: The Feast II, Bo Jankans, K-Cromozone, Hasty Jadem, IO p.m., \$10.

Jaxx: Veil of Maya, Animals as Leaders, Escape Takes the Lead, Ends in Blood and more, 5 p.m., \$12.

Rock and Roll Hotel: Themselves, Eyedea & Abilities, Educated Consumers, 9 p.m., \$12.

Sixth & I Historic Synagogue: Matisyahu, 8 p.m., sold out.

State Theatre: "DC Disco Ball," 7:15 p.m., \$10.

Twins Jazz: The Georgetown Combo,

9 & II p.m., \$10. **Velvet Lounge:** DJ Simon Phoenix,

Velvet Lounge: DJ Simon Phoenix Jackie O, 9 p.m., free.

→ THURSDAY

9:30 Club: Zero 7, DJ Christine Moritz, 9 p.m., \$25.

Kennedy Center, Millennium Stage: Bob Perilla's Big Hilbilly Bluegrass, 6 p.m., free.

Velvet Lounge: DJ lan Svenonius, 10 p.m., free.

→ FRIDAY

9:30 Club: The Mountain Goats, Final Fantasy, 8 p.m., \$20.

Birchmere: The Seldom Scene & Dry Branch Fire Squad, 7:30 p.m., \$29.50.

Black Cat: "Homo/Sonic," 9 p.m., \$10; "No Control" with DJ Denman and Steve, 9:30 p.m., free (backstage).

Blues Alley: Alex Bugnon, 8 & 10 p.m.,

America's Legendary Music Hall 3701 Mount Vernon Ave. Alexandria, VA • 703-549-7500

All shows at 7:30pm unless otherwise indicated Full Service Menu • Food & Drink

27&28 The Seldom Scene & Dry Branch Fire Squad

3 HOT TUNA (Acoustic)

4&5 FOUR BITCHIN' BABES DIVA NATION feat. Debi Smith,

Sally Fingerett, Nancy Moran & Deirdre Flint

6 Norman Brown & Mindi Abair

7 A very Jerry Xmas featuring
The Jerry Douglas Band
w/sp. guests John Oates (of Hall & Oates)
& Maura O'Connell

8&9 Mint Condition

An Evening with Rickie Lee Jones

11 CATIE CURTIS & SUSAN WERNER

12 RALPH STANLEY & The Clinch Mt Bovs

13 CHIP TAYLOR & JON VOIGHT "Brothers in Song & Story"

14&15

LEDISI

16 JUDY COLLINS W/Amy Speace

17 A JOHN WATERS Christmas

LALAH HATHAWAY

19 FOURPLAY

Aaron Neville and His Quintet featuring Charles Neville

22 As seen on PBS!

STRAIGHT NO CHASER Second Night Added!

26 Pieces of a Dream

28 **Regina Belle**

29 Southside Johnny and the Asbury Jukes

30
13th Annual
Hank Williams Tribute
W/Cathy Fink and Marcy
Marxer, Bill Kirchen,
Robin and Linda
Williams and more!

31 NEW YEAR'S EVE! 8pm **The Seldom Scene**

w/Legends of the Potomac feat. Darren Beachley, Mike Auldridge, Tom Gray & more, AND Dead Men's Hollow

www.birchmere.com

Advance Sale TicketMaster 703-573-SEAT

WeekendPass Entertainment

TheScene

Continued from E9

\$27.50.

Bohemian Caverns: Afro Bop Alliance, 8:30 & I0:30 p.m., \$20.

Comet Ping Pong: Chris Grier, IO p.m., free

DC9: "Liberation" dance party, 9 p.m., \$7. HR-57: Antonio Parker Quartet, 9 p.m.,

Iota: Bastard Sons of Johnny Cash, 9 p.m., \$15.

Jammin' Java: Shane Hines and the Trance, Bradley Rhodes, 7 & I0:30 p.m., \$I2.

Jaxx: Wizzard, Sinbad, Cherry Smash, the Roadducks, 7 p.m., \$10.

Kennedy Center, Millennium Stage: N'dambi, 6 p.m., free.

Music Center at Strathmore: Brian

Setzer Orchestra, Wendy LeBeau and her Beaus, 8 p.m., \$35-\$95.

Red and the Black: Miseuphoria, Grendel Babies, 9 p.m., \$8.

Rock and Roll Hotel: Loose Lips,

Typefighter, the Maida Vale, Lightfoot, 9 p.m., \$10.

State Theatre: The Nighthawks, Bobby Radcliff, 7 p.m., \$16.

Twins Jazz: Valery Ponomarev, 9 & II p.m., \$15.

Wolf Trap: The Grandsons, 8 p.m., \$16.

→ SATURDAY

9:30 Club: They Might Be Giants, 3 & 8 p.m., \$25.

Birchmere: The Seldom Scene & Dry



Entertainment



A CAPTIVATING ENTERTAINMENT

FOR THE HOLIDAY SEASON AND BEYOND.





"MR. FOX' IS MY #1 CHOICE FOR THIS WEEKEND:

A. O. SCOTT, AT THE MOVIES



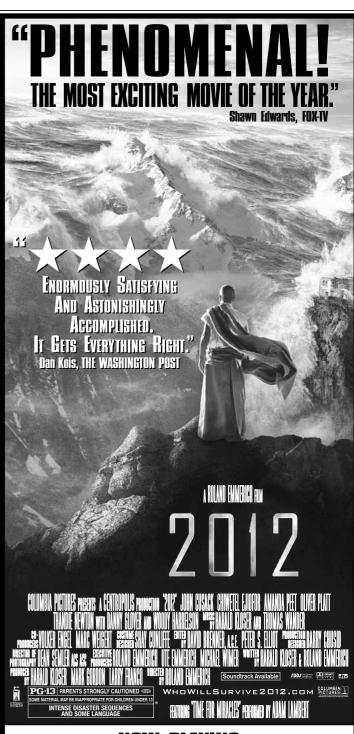
ANTASTIC MR.FOX



PG PARENTAL GUIDANCE SUGGESTED SOME MATERIAL MAY NOT BE SUITABLE FOR CHILDREN ACTION, SMOKING AND SLANG HUMOR

ARTWORK REPRINTED BY PERMISSION FROM NEW YORK MAGAZIN

NOW PLAYING AT THEATRES EVERYWHERE
Check Local Listings For Theatres And Showtimes



NOW PLAYING
CHECK LOCAL LISTINGS FOR THEATERS AND SHOWTIMES

Entertainment | WeekendPass

Branch Fire Squad, 7:30 p.m., \$29.50.

Black Cat: Chopteeth Afrofunk Big

Band, Kinobe & the Soul Beat Africa,

9 p.m., \$15; Bliss with DJ Will Eastman,

9:30 p.m., \$8.

Blues Alley: Alex Bugnon, 8 & 10 p.m., \$27.50.

Bohemian Caverns: Afro Bop Alliance, 8:30 & 10:30 p.m., \$20.

Crossroads: Queen Ifrica, Tony Rebel, 9 p.m., \$30.

DC9: Nouveau Riche, 9 p.m., \$8.

HR-57: Thad Wilson Quartet, 9 p.m., \$12.

Iota: Idea Track, Citizen, 9:30 p.m., \$10.

Jammin' Java: Boys Will Be Boys, I Saw
a Ghost, Used Up, What a Night, Light
up the Sky, 5:30 p.m., \$10; Sick Damage
Turkey Stomp, Viking, Young Enough
and more, I0:30 p.m., \$5.

Music Center at Strathmore: Dariushi, 8 p.m., \$50-\$80.

Rock and Roll Hotel: Davy Knowles and the Backdoor Slam, Rob Drabkin, IO p.m., \$16.

State Theatre: The Machine, 9 p.m., \$20.

Twins Jazz: Valery Ponomarev, 9 & II p.m., \$15.

Wolf Trap: John Eaton, 7:30 p.m., \$25.

→ SUNDAY

Blues Alley: Alex Bugnon, 8 & 10 p.m., \$27.50.

DC9: Heavy Trash, Elliott Brood, 9 p.m., \$12.

Iota: Billy Woodward and the Senders, Tom O'Connor, Molly Hagen, 8 p.m., \$10. Jammin' Java: A Sense of Urgency, I Am the Kaleidoscope and more, 6 p.m., \$10.

Kennedy Center, Millennium Stage: Victoria Vox, 6 p.m., free.

Sight

Addison/Ripley Fine Art: "Three Seconds With the Masters," photography from James Osher takes classic works of art and reflects upon the nature of viewing art in a contemporary setting, through Dec. 5. I670 Wisconsin Ave. NW; 202-238-5I80, addisonripley-fineart.com.

Alexandria Black History Museum:

"Spirits in a Bottle," a lighthearted bottle-filled exhibit pays tribute to the African tradition, through Jan. Permanent and changing exhibitions highlighting Alexandria's rich history. 902 Wythe St., Alexandria: 703-838-4356. oha.alexandriava.gov/bhrc.

Anacostia Community Museum:

"Separate but Unequaled," exhibit highlighting the achievements and success of the early segregated baseball leagues. I90I Fort Place SE; 202-633-I000, anacostia.si.edu.

Ann Loeb Bronfman Gallery: "Blue Like Me: the Work of Siona Benjamin," one Jewish artist's upbringing in Muslim-heavy India is expressed through painting, through Jan. 29. I529 I6th St. NW; 202-518-9400, washingtondcjcc.org.

Arlington Arts Center: "Image/Project," exhibition of video and paintings juried by Taryn Simon, through Jan. I6. 3550 Wilson Blvd., Arlington; 703-248-6800, arlingtonartscenter.org.

Arthur M. Sackler Gallery: "Fal-

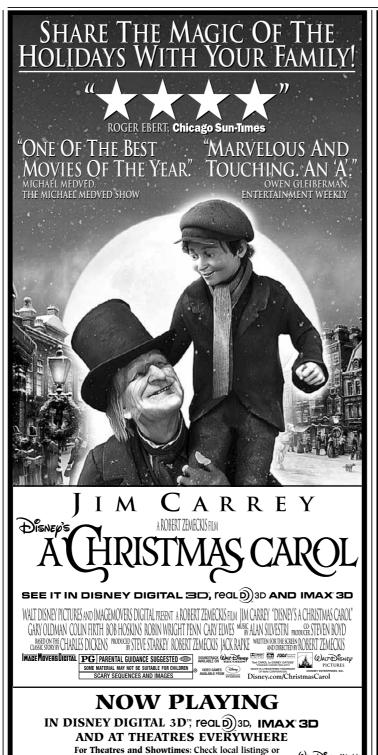
nama: the Book of Omens," vividly illustrated manuscripts on the end of days from the Islamic world, through Jan. 24. "Perspectives: Anish Kapoor," curved and elongated metallic sculptures from the Indian sculptor, through Jan. 3. 1050 Independence Ave. SW; 202-633-1000, asia.si.edu.

The Art League Gallery: "Boing!," lighthearted abstract paintings from

Tory Cowles, through Dec. 7. 105 N. Union St., Alexandria; 703-683-1780, theartleague.org.

Art Museum of the Americas: "Bilateral Engagement," a survey of Washington Sculptor Guild work in honor of its 25th anniversary, through Jan. 15. 201 18th St. NW; 202-458-6016, museum.oas.org.

Continued on E12



Text CAROL with your ZIP CODE to 43KIX (43549). "CAROL WITH GENERAL WORLD RESORT



THE #1 MOVIE IN THE WORLD

1811 14TH ST NW www.blackcatdc.com

- THU 26 RED ROOM OPENS AT 9:00
- HOMO/SONIC: AN ALT DANCE NIGHT FOR QUEER FOLKS & FRIENDS \$10
- - NO CONTROL: DJS DENMAN & STEVE EP
- CHOPTEETH AFROFUNK BIG BAND SAT 28 IOBE & SOUL BEAT AFRICA \$15
- <<BLISS>> DANCE PARTY DJ WILL EASTMAN \$8 SAT 28
- **BAD TASTE FILM NIGHT: SUN 29**
- COUCH NIGHT: DJ GLENN \$FREE 8:00
- COUCH NIGHT: DJS ROULETTE & CHAD AMERICA \$FREE 8:00 TUE I
- DELETED SCENES BOTTLE UP & GO NEW ROCK CHURCH OF FIRE \$10 WED 2
- BILAL FRI 4
- FRI 4

SAT 5

- SORTED: DJ STEREO FAITH \$7
- THE BIG PINK
 CRYSTAL ANTLERS \$13 SAT 5
- THE WAG: 60S GARAGE & SOUL \$5
- **CHILD ABUSE** SUN 6 ORPHAN \$10
- THE MODERATE
 CHOO CHOO LA ROUG
 TIMOTHY BRACY'S
 COLLECTION AGENCY \$8 TUE 8
- CURTIS HARVEY
 GLORYTELLERS \$10 WED 9
- THE WHIGS THU 10 THE FEATURES
 MEAN CREEK \$13
- ONCE OKAY TWICE FRI I I
- FRIII
- DJS KIM & SARA \$FREE
- SAT 12 80s MAYHEM
- SECOND SATURDAYS: SOFT POWER SIO
- CONCERT-LINE 202-667-7960





TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM TICKETMASTER @ 202.397.SEAT

WeekendPass Entertainment

heScene

Continued from E11

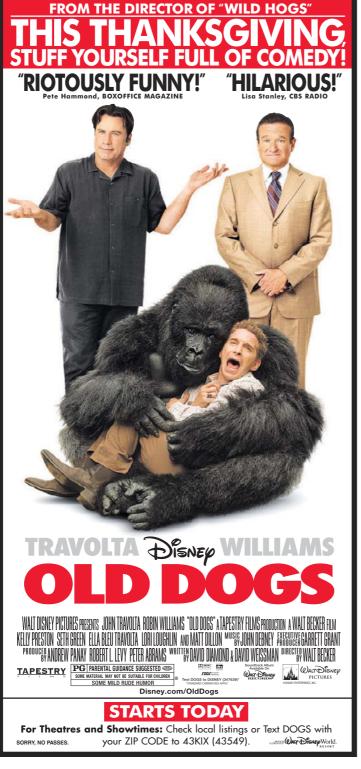
Athenaeum: "New Mythology," animalinspired paintings from Tracey Clarke create a fantasy-heavy new world, through Jan. 3. 20I Prince St., Alexandria; 703-548-0035, nvfaa.org.

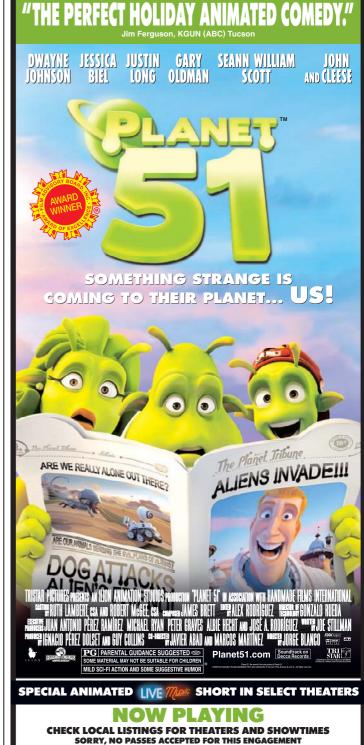
Civilian Art Projects: "Woods," photography from Terri Weifenbach of local leaved nature. "A Little Give and Take," mixed-media constructions from Carole Wagner Greenwood, both through Dec. 19. 1019 7th St. NW; 202-607-3804, civilianartsprojects.com.

Conner Contemporary Art: "Cosmopolitan Chicken Art," Belgian conceptual artist Koen Vanmechelen meditates on cultural identity through chicken breeding, through Dec. 31. 1358 Florida Ave. NE; 202-588-8750, conner contemporary.com.

Corcoran Gallery of Art: "Nature as Nation," 19th-century American landscape paintings. "Edward Burtynsky: Oil," 56 mammoth color landscapes from the Canadian photographer explore the effects and impact of the quest for oil, through Dec. 13. "Sargent and the Sea," rare seascape and coastal paintings from John Singer Sargent, through Jan. 3. 500 I7th St. NW; 202-639-I700, corcoran.org.

Cross Mackenzie Gallery: "Walter McConnell," photographs imprinted on ceramic and porcelain pieces, through Jan. IO. I054 31st St. NW; 202-333-7970, crossmackenzie.com.





Entertainment | WeekendPass

Curator's Office: "An Exact Place," fabrics and Hanji paper play a role in the abstract painting from Jiha Moon, through Dec. 17. I515 I4th St. NW; 202-387-I008, curatorsoffice.com.

David C. Driskell Center: "An American Consciousness: Robin Holder's Mid-Career Retrospective," layered images from Holder deal with political and societal issues with grace and beauty, through Dec. II. 1214 Cole Student Activities Building, University of Maryland, College Park; 301-314-2615, driskellcenter.umd.edu.

D.C. Arts Center: "Black," artists wrestle with the larger implications and meanings of the color, through Jan.
10. 2438 18th St. NW; 202-462-7833, dcartscenter.org.

Embassy of Canada: "Yousuf Karsh at 100: Portraits of Artists," rich surfaces and graceful composition define the Canadian artist's swank photographs, through Dec. 18. 501 Pennsylvania Ave. NW; 202-682-1740, canadainternational.gc.ca/washington.

Embassy of Chile: "Migrations," paintings from Joan Belmar, through Nov. 27. I732 Massachusetts Ave. NW; 202-785-1746, embassyofchile.org.

Embassy of France: "Nouvelles Histoires," abstract, pastel-heavy paintings from Isabelle Babington, through Jan. 8. 2142 Wyoming Ave. NW; 202-234-79II, francedc.org.

LAST CHANCE Embassy of Japan:

"The Art of Transformation," more than 50 color woodblock reprints illustrate the foundation of the Japanese infrastructure and society as a celebration of the first visit of Japanese businessmen to the U.S. in 1909, through Fri. 2520 Massachusetts Ave. NW; 202-238-6949, embjapan.org.

Folger Shakespeare Library: "Imagining China: the View from Europe, 1550-1700," woodprints, maps and paintings illustrate early modern Europeans' fascination with China, through Jan. 9. 201 East Capitol St. SE; 202-544-4600, folger.edu.

The Foundry Gallery: "Convergence," abstract paintings and collages from Kathryn Wiley, through Nov. 29. I3I4 I8th St. NW; 202-.463-0203, foundry gallerv.org.

Fraser Gallery: "Winter Group Exhibit," new paintings from David FeBland, Mike Fitts, Tim O'Kane and others, through Jan. 9. 7700 Wisconsin Ave., Bethesda; 30I-7I8-965I, thefrasergallery.com. Freer Gallery of Art: "Texture of Night: James McNeill Whistler," through June 2010. Jefferson Drive & 12th Street SW; 202-633-1000, asia.si.edu.

The Gallery at Flashpoint: "Pacguy," video game-referencing interactive wackilness from Kenny George, through Dec. 12. 916 G St. NW; 202-315-1305, flashpointdc.org.

ketplace," affordable small-scale artwork, through Dec. 20. 5001 Wilson Lane, Bethesda; 301-718-0809, galleryneptune.com.

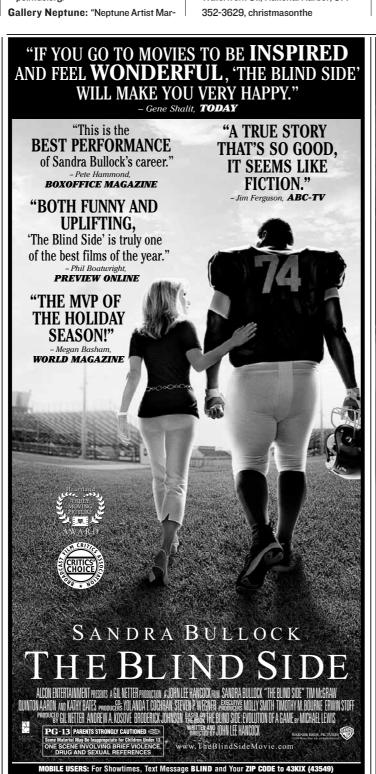
Gaylord National Harbor: "Christmas on the Potomac," I.5 million pounds of ice turned into a holiday wonderland, through Jan. IO., \$13-\$24.50, 20I Waterfront St., National Harbor; 877-352-3629, christmasonthe potomac.com.

Goethe-Institut: "Iconoclash" politically charged icons from the tulmutuous period of transition in post-Berlin Wall Germany, through Jan. 8. 8l2 7th St. NW; 202-289-I200, goethe.de/ washington.

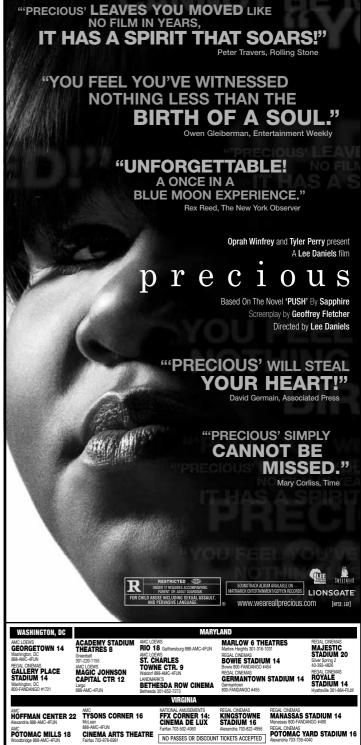
Hemphill Fine Arts: "Economy of Scale," group photography exhibition examines traditional understandings of the space afforded to photography versus painting, through Dec. 23. I515 I4th St. NW; 202-234-560I, hemphillfinearts.com.

Hillyer Art Space: "Ass Against the Wall," sculptures from Martha Jackson Jarvis illustrate points of resistance and endurance that provide patterns to life, through Dec. 12. 9 Hillyer Court NW;

Continued on E14



NOW SHOWING - CHECK DIRECTORIES FOR LISTINGS



NeekendPass Entertainment

<mark>he</mark>Scene

Continued from E13

202-338-0680, artsandartists.org. Hirshhorn: "Strange Bodies: Figurative Works From the Hirshhorn Collection," ongoing. "Anne Truitt: Perception and Reflection," a survey of large-scale work from the artist's 50-year career, through Jan. 3. "Directions: John Gerrard," 3-D installation mixes reality with fiction in a new view of daytime, through May 3I. 7th Street & Independence Avenue SW; 202-633-1000, hirshhorn.org. Irvine Contemporary: "Double Down," new stretching ink and gouache paint-

The Jerusalem Fund Gallery: "Mental Meditations," two-sided paintings from Ammar Qusaibaty use the idea of metaphor in Arabic culture to reflect on life and art, through Jan. 8. 2425 Virginia Ave. NW; 202-338-1958, the ierusalemfund.org.

ings from Oliver Vernon, through Dec. 12. 1412 14th St. NW; 202-332-8767,

irvinecontemporary.com.

PRECIOUS (R) - ID REQ'D

MICHAEL JACKSON: THIS IS IT (PG)

GALLERY | JUMPING INTO THE ACTION



FAST SHUTTER FINGERS: Some of the most iconic and striking images in sports history are given the space and color that they deserve in "Athlete: The Sports Illustrated Photography of Walter looss," at the Newseum, a fitting tribute to a photographer whose sense of composition and timing continues to amaze the eye.

OLD DOGS (PG) * (1140 110 200 340 440) 610 710 840 930 NINJA ASSASSIN (R) - ID REQ'D (1200 240 520) 800 1030 THE FANTASTIC MR. FOX (PG) (1150 230 500) 730 950 TWILIGHT SAGA: NEW MOON - DP (PG-13) ★ (1110 210 510) 820 OLD DOGS (PG) * THE TWILIGHT SAGA: NEW MOON (PG-13) ★ (1250 130 310 350 430) 620 700 740 1000 1040 OC & DA: TWILIGHT SAGA: NEW MOON (PG-13) ★ (1210 PM) 920 PM THE BLIND SIDE (PG-13) (1220 110 320 410) 630 720 930 1020 PLANET 51 (PG) PLANET 51 (PG) (1100 120 400) 640 910 (1230 PM 420 PM) 810 PM 2012 (PG-13) A CHRISTMAS CAROL 3D - EVENT PRICING (PG) 🛨 (1240 330) 600 830 2012 (PG-13) GERMANTOWN STADIUM 14 OLD DOGS (PG) * (1145 1245 200 300 420 520) 715 800 940 102 THE FANTASTIC MR. FOX (PG) (1200 220 440) 700 920 NINJA ASSASSIN (R) - ID REQ'D (1210 240 510) 750 1010 HE TWILIGHT SAGA: NEW MOON (PG-13) ★ (130 230 330 430 530) 730 830 930 1030 OLD DOGS (PG) * OC & DA: TWILIGHT SAGA: NEW MOON (PG-13) ★ (1230 PM) 630 PM (1220 145 340 450) 645 745 945 1045 THE BLIND SIDE (PG-13) (150 410) 650 910 PLANET 51 (PG)

(1240 140 320 445) 640 740 1015

(1110 AM 150 PM) 750 PM

2012 (PG-13)

A CHRISTMAS CAROL 3D - EVENT PRICING (PG) ★

2012 (PG-13)	(1215 345) 710 915 1040	PLANET 51 (PG)	(200 410) 630 850
A CHRISTMAS CAROL 3D - EVE	` '	2012 (PG-13)	(1210 330) 650 1010
UA SNOWDE	N SQ STADIUM 14		ENT PRICING (PG) ★ (1145 210 430) 710 920
	(1120 1230 140 300 410 520) 640 745 930 1020	BOWIE S 15200 Major Lansdale	FADIUM 14 Bivd 800-FANDANGO 454#
NINJA ASSASSIN (R) - ID REQ'[D (1245 310 535) 815 1045	THE FANTASTIC MR. FOX (PG)	(1145 215 445) 715 940
THE BLIND SIDE (PG-13)	(1055 155 455) 755 1055	OLD DOGS (PG) ★	(1130 1215 210 250 440 515) 700 750 930 1015
PLANET 51 (PG)	(1140 220 445) 720 940	, ,	` '
THE TWILIGHT SAGA: NEW MO	OON (PG-13) ★ 0 430 500 530) 700 730 800 830 1000 1030 1100	NINJA ASSASSIN (R) - ID REQ'	D (1135 205 510) 815 1045
(1100 1130 100 130 200 230 400	0 430 500 530) 700 730 800 830 1000 1030 1100	THE BLIND SIDE (PG-13)	(1105 110 150 410 450) 720 740 1005 1035
OC & DA: 2012 (PG-13)	(1210 PM) 710 PM	THE TWILLIAM OA A. NEW MA	001 (D0 40) ±
THE FANTASTIC MR. FOX (PG)	(1150 210 420) 650 945	(1100 100 130	OON (PG-13) ★ 0 200 400 430 500) 650 730 800 1000 1025 1050
PIRATE RADIO (R) - ID REQ'D	(1215 PM)		(1110 1205 140 240 420 525) 710 810 950 1040
2012 (PG-13)	(255 345) 630 950 1040		` '
MEN WHO STARE AT GOATS (F	R) - ID REQ'D (435 PM) 1035 PM	PLANET 51 (PG)	(1125 145 425) 645 925

A CHRISTMAS CAROL 3D - EVENT PRICING (PG) ★ (1200 240 510) 740 1010

MAJESTIC STADIUM 20 NINJA ASSASSIN (R) - ID REQ'D (1135 155 420) 700 940 RW: OLD DOGS (PG) * (1100 110 330 540) 750 1010 (1210 225 440) 710 935 THE TWILIGHT SAGA: NEW MOON (PG-13) ★ (1130 1200 1230 220 310 340 515) 655 730 810 950 1025 1105 THE BLIND SIDE (PG-13) (1110 1140 200 230 450 520) 740 815 1030 1110 (1125 150 410) 645 930 (1155 205 430) 650 945 THE FANTASTIC MR. FOX (PG) (1120 300) 640 1000 PRECIOUS (R) - ID REQ'D (1115 1145 145 215 415 445) 715 745 1015 1045 A CHRISTMAS CAROL 3D - EVENT PRICING (PG) ★ (1105 140 505) 735 1005 (1200 1250 210 300 420 510) 630 720 840 930 1050 NINJA ASSASSIN (R) - ID REQ'D (1230 250 530) 750 1015 THE BLIND SIDE (PG-13) (145 445) 720 1015 THE TWILIGHT SAGA: NEW MOON (PG-13) ★
/1200 100 140 250 400 440) 600 700 740 900 1000 1040 IET 51 (PG (200 410) 630 850 (1210 330) 650 1010 RISTMAS CAROL 3D - EVENT PRICING (PG) * (1145 210 430) 710 920 ANTASTIC MR. FOX (PG) (1145 215 445) 715 940 DOGS (PG) * (1130 1215 210 250 440 515) 700 750 930 1015 ASSASSIN (R) - ID REQ'D (1135 205 510) 815 1045

(1150 310) 640 1010

GALLERY PLACE STADIUM 14 OLD DOGS (PG) * (1200 220) 445 715 945 NINJA ASSASSIN (R) - ID REQ'D (1220 300) 540 820 1045 ROAD (R) - ID REQ'D (110) 415 710 950 OC & DA: TWILIGHT SAGA: NEW MOON (PG-13) ★ (130 PM) 730 PM THE BLIND SIDE (PG-13) (120) 420 750 1035 TWILIGHT SAGA: NEW MOON - DP (PG-13) ★ (1100 200) 500 800 1050 PLANET 51 (PG) (1215 230) 450 705 920 THE FANTASTIC MR. FOX (PG) (1210 250) 515 745 1010 (1150) 320 650 1015 2012 (PG-13) PRECIOUS (R) - ID REQ'D (1130 1240 240) 310 530 630 810 910 1040 MEN WHO STARE AT GOATS (R) - ID REQ'D (1250) 315 545 830 1045 A CHRISTMAS CAROL 3D - EVENT PRICING (PG) (140 410) 640 915 IINJA ASSASSIN (R) - ID REQ'D (1210 240 510) 740 1010 TWILIGHT SAGA: NEW MOON - DP (PG-13) ★ (150 PM 455 PM) 1105 PM

THE TWILIGHT SAGA: NEW MOON (PG-13) ★ (1115 1150 1230 110 220 255 335 415 525) 600 640 720 800 830 905 945 1025 THE FANTASTIC MR. FOX (PG) (1155 200 435) 700 925 PIRATE RADIO (R) - ID REQ'D (100 400) 650 950 2012 (PG-13) (1140 1240 325 425) 710 810 1055 A CHRISTMAS CAROL 3D - EVENT PRICING (PG) ★ (1200 230 500) 730 1000 COUPLES RETREAT (PG-13) (1120 210 505) 750

THE TWILIGHT SAGA: NEW MOON (PG-13) ★
(1145 1215 100 240 315 400) 600 645 715 900 945 102 RW: OLD DOGS (PG) * (1225 245 505) 730 955 NINJA ASSASSIN (R) - ID REQ'D (1235 255 520) 745 1010 OLD DOGS (PG) (1115 135 345) 615 835 THE BLIND SIDE (PG-13) (1100 1200 155 310 445) 625 750 925 1040 TWILIGHT SAGA: NEW MOON - DP (PG-13) (1100 200 455) 800 1055 (1150 210 430) 700 920 PLANET 51 (PG) THE FANTASTIC MR. FOX (PG) (1205 215 435) 650 905 2012 (PG-13) (1110 1220 230 340) 610 710 930 1030 PRECIOUS (R) - ID REQ'D (1120 1245 150 330 425) 630 735 915 1015 A CHRISTMAS CAROL 3D - EVENT PRICING (PG) ★ (1105 140 405) 655 935

COUNTRYSIDE STADIUM 20 THE FANTASTIC MR. FOX (PG) (1200 220 455) 705 92 OLD DOGS (PG) ★ (1125 1210 1250 145 230 310 405 450 530) 625 710 750 855 935 1018 OC & DA: TWILIGHT SAGA: NEW MOON (PG-13) ★ (130 PM) 730 PM THE TWILIGHT SAGA: NEW MOON (PG-13) ★ (1100 1230 100 200 330 400 430 500) 630 700 800 930 1000 1030 A CHRISTMAS CAROL 3D - EVENT PRICING (PG) ★ (1145 215 445) 715 945 THE BLIND SIDE (PG-13) (1215 120 315 420) 615 720 915 1020 NINJA ASSASSIN (R) - ID REQ'D (1140 1240 205 305 425 525) 645 745 905 1008 PLANET 51 (PG) (1115 1220 140 245 410 510) 640 91

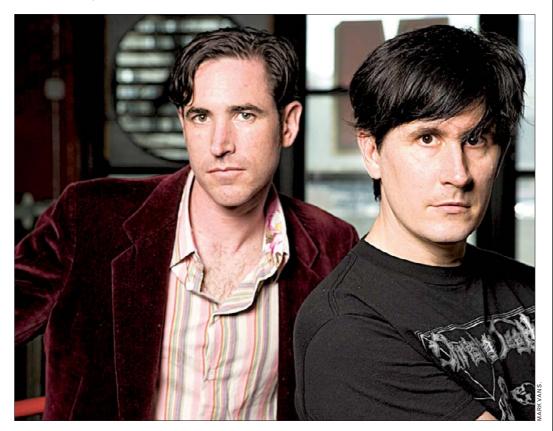
2012 (PG-13) (1120 110 250 440) 620 810 950 PIRATE RADIO (R) - ID REQ'D (1255 355) 655 95 MEN WHO STARE AT GOATS (R) - ID REQ'D (115 345) 635 90 (1110 240) 610 940 KURBAAN (NR) 735 PM 1025 PM COUPLES RETREAT (PG-13)

THE TWILIGHT SAGA: NEW MOON (PG-13) ★ (1000 1030 1100 100 130 200 400 430 500) 700	730 800 1000 1030 1100
OLD DOGS (PG) ★ (1010 1120 1240 140 250 350 5	10) 610 720 820 930 1040
NINJA ASSASSIN (R) - ID REQ'D	(1220 310 550) 810 1050
RW & DA: TWILIGHT SAGA: NEW MOON (PG-13) ★	(1200 300) 600 900
THE BLIND SIDE (PG-13) (1020 1140 120 2	40 410 540) 710 830 1020
PLANET 51 (PG)	(1050 150 415) 630 910
THE FANTASTIC MR. FOX (PG)	(1130 220 440) 650 920
2012 (PG-13) (1150 12	50 320 420) 640 750 1010
MEN WHO STARE AT GOATS (R) - ID REQ'D	(1210 230 520) 740 950
A CHRISTMAS CAROL 3D - EVENT PRICING (PG) ★	(1040 110 330) 620 840
COUPLES RETREAT (PG-13)	(1230 340) 645 940

OLD DOGS (PG) *

Entertainment WeekendPass

INDIE ROCK | OLD STORIES TOLD RIGHT



FROM THE PAGES: Things may get dark when John Darnielle starts wailing into the microphone, but there's a hint of light that touches all of his stories. Leading the Mountain Goats, Darnielle brings work from his newest album, "The Life of the World to Come" — a proof-texted imaginative retelling of Bible verses — to the 9:30 Club on Friday night.

The Joan Hisaoka Healing Arts

Gallery: "The Real Story of the Superheroes," Dulce Pinzon's photos reflect on the nature of heroism and servitude, through Dec. 28. I632 U St. NW; 202-483-8600, smithfarm.com/gallery.

Katzen Arts Center: "Culture Warriors," each state and territory in Australia presents the best of its contemporary and indigenous art as a means
of preserving culture and history, presented by the National Gallery of Australia, through Dec. 6. "Life With the
Berlin Wall," a look through virtual reality into life behind the wall, through Dec.
20. 4400 Massachusetts Ave. NW;
202-7979-3025, american.edu/cas/
katzen.

Koshland Science Museum: Various science-related exhibits including "Global Warming Facts & Our Future," "Lights at Night," "Infectious Disease: Evolving Challenges to Human Health," "Wonders of Science," ongoing. 6th & E streets NW; 202-334-I20I, koshland-sciencemuseum.org.

The Kreeger Museum: "Kentridge and

Kudryashov: Against the Grain," dramatic and harsh political climates set the foundation for the terse and color-dipped paintings from South Africa's William Kentridge and Russia's Oleg Kudryashov, through Dec. 30; sculpture garden featuring works from the Washington Sculptors Guild, through June. 240I Foxhall Road NW; 202-337-3050, kreegermuseum.org.

Mexican Cultural Institute: "Dialogues in Mexican Photography," showing the best of the Mexican photographic community, through Jan. 30. 2829 I6th St. NW; 202-728-I628, instituteofmexicodc.org.

Museum of Contemporary Art:

"Heads or Tails," the human form and the model behind that image, through Dec. 5. 1054 31st St. NW; 202-342-6230. mocadc.org.

National Air and Space Museum:

"Alan Bean: Painting Apollo, First Artist on Another World," reflections and paintings from the fourth man on the moon; ongoing exhibitions and largest collection of historic aircraft and space-

craft in the world. 6th Street & Independence Avenue SW; 202-633-1000, nasm.si.edu.

LAST CHANCE National Build-

ing Museum: "Storefront Churches," photographs from Camilo Jose Vergara of houses of worship in unorthodox places, through Sun. "Form and Movement," photographs from Phillip Trager explore light and symmetry in the construction of buildings, through Jan. 3. "House of Cars," exploring the relationship between parked cars and humans, through July. 40I F St. NW; 202-272-2448, nbm.org.

National Gallery of Art, East Building: "Editions With Additions: Working Proofs by Jasper Johns," through Jan. IO; "Alexander Calder"; "The Robert and Jane Meyeroff Collection: Selected Works," through May 2. National Gallery of Art, West Building: "Judith Leyster I609-I660," through Sun. "Robert Bergman: Portraits, 1986–1995," portraits of the street people encountered and shot by the artist on an every-

EXHIBIT / SALE
Fine selection of authentic masks, statues, and other artifacts from West & Central Africa! Bright beautiful original paintings from Haiti!

NOV. 28-30 Sat.- Mon. 12-7pm.
Hyatt Hotel Arlington/Key Bridge BALLROOMS B & C - 2nd Level 1325 Wilson Blvd.

africanartsnyc@gmail.com (504) 908-3988
*Free Admission! *Cash-Checks-Paypal!

express



PERFORMANCES

FUEGO FLAMENCO V

Flamenco en Familia (Free) Dance & Castanets Workshops Nov 28 11 am & 2 pm

Flamenco Aparicio Dance Co. with Omayra Amaya (Spain) Dec 5 8 pm & Dec 6 3pm

202-234-7174 www.galatheatre.org American Airlines is GALA's Official Carrier

Washington Shakespeare Company

"Nervy and engaging" -ShowBizRadio.net

"There's magic onstage" - DramaUrge.com

"Euphoric...with sly, spirited energy" -DCTheatreScene.com

LULU

By Frank Wedekind Fri & Sat at 8; Sat & Sun at 2 All Sat. matinees Pay-what-you-can www.washingtonshakespeare.org 1-800-494-TIXS (8497)/703-418-4808 601 S. Clark Street, Arlington Crystal City metro

DISNEY'S MULAN

A new stage musical based on the hit movie Many Thanksgiving weekend shows!

301-280-1660 www.lmaginationStage.org

PERFORMANCES

The Studio Theatre

A Feel-Good Farce for the Holidays!

Opening December 2! THE SOLID GOLD CADILLAC

by Howard Teichmann & George S. Kaufman directed by Paul Mullins starring Nancy Robinette

\$99 Holiday 3-Play Subscription Packages Available Now!

studiotheatre.org • 202-332-3300

Capitol Steps

Musical Political Satire

"They're the best! There's no one like them, no one in their league!" —Larry King, CNN

"Non-stop hilarious...four stars."

FRIDAYS & SATURDAYS AT 7:30 PM

Ronald Reagan Bldg, 1300 Pennsylvania Ave, NW

INFO: 202-312-1555

Fickets available through TicketMaster at (202) 397-SEAT www.ticketmaster.com

Group Sales: 202-312-1427

To purchase Capitol Steps CDs & cassettes, for private show info:

cassettes, for private show info: 703-683-8330•www.capsteps.com

express night out.com

XXI72 lx.

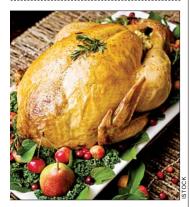
Concerts, movies, events, restaurants and more.



XXI72 2xl.

WeekendPass Dining

dine&dash



Forget stuffing the turkey this year, and stuff your face at local restaurants.

Thanksgiving Eats Minus All the Mess

While some think it unfathomable to leave the house on a domestic holiday, others are hip to the idea of eating out on Thanksgiving. If you'd like to spend more time bonding and eating, and less time cleaning, a table with all the fixins is open for you and the family at many area restaurants. To name a few:

- → **701**: 701 Pennsylvania Ave. NW; 202-393-0701, 701 restaurant.com.
- → 2941 Restaurant: 2941 Fairview Park Drive, Falls Church; 703-270-1500, 2941.com.
- → Art and Soul: 415 New Jersey Ave. NW; 202-393-7777, artand-souldc.com.
- → Bastille Restaurant: 1201 N. Royal St., Alexandria; 703-519-3776, bastillerestaurant.com.
- → Brabo: 1600 King St., Alexandria; 703-894-3440, braborestaurant.com.

→ Café Promenade at the Renaissance Mayflower Hotel: 1127 Connecticut Ave. NW; 202-347-

2233, cafepromenade.com.

- → Restaurant 3: 2950 Clarendon Blvd., Arlington; 703-524-4440, restaurantthree.com.
- → Sou'Wester: 1330 Maryland Ave. SW; 202-787-6868, mandarinoriental.com.

Dine & Dash has more on local eats at Expressnightout.com/dine

Give Me Some Sugar

David Guas sweetens the pot with a new book in time to bake your holiday just right

CANDY-COATED | You can take the boy out of New Orleans, but you can't take New Orleans out of the boy. David Guas, who grew up in the Crescent City, says that put-



Guae

ting together his new cookbook, "DamGood-Sweet: Desserts to Satisfy Your Sweet Tooth, New Orleans Style," with food writer Raquel

Pelzel was a chance for him to revisit desserts such as bread pudding, beignets and red velvet cake. Guas, the former pastry chef for Passion Food Hospitality in D.C., recently chatted about his new book and his plans to start a Southern bakery.

Are your recipes different from others that come from the South?

In certain recipes, I attempt to pull out the sugar that would be found in most Southern recipes. There's a formula to baking, and there's a reason the sugar is there

— for moisture, structure and stability. But where I felt it would not affect the structure, I reduced the amount of sugar. The red velvet cake is sweet but not as sweet as Granny used to make.

What's different about Southern desserts versus those you can find elsewhere?

I think we all have our desserts, depending on what part of the world we come from. I would say it's where you eat something, how it was brought to you, what it represents to you that makes it meaningful. These desserts are



Being a Southern boy, David Guas understands the comforting benefits of a good custard, such as these soothing cup custards.



Guas' recipe for red velvet cake is less sweet than the one Granny used to make.

meaningful for me. Specific desserts were at funerals or wedding receptions. ... I think that plays into a culture. At the end of the day there are different recipes, different desserts that have history and mean certain things to individuals. You come to expect certain things at certain gather-

ings. So, I put them all in a book to honor them.

Did you enjoy baking when you were a little kid?

I'd like to say I did, but I didn't really. My sister and I had Betty Crocker and Duncan Hines cake mixes, and we would make brown-

ies and cookies and things. But I was experimenting with them, like swirling creamy peanut butter or throwing nuts into brownies, and adding different things to cookies and exploring. There was something about putting my own twist on it back then. I also loved making pies with my great-aunt, but that was the extent of my baking.

Do you have a favorite recipe in the book?

The two puddings — the banana with vanilla wafer crumble and the straight-up chocolate pudding — are delicious. Those are ones I make for my kids, and I make them more often than pies or cakes at home. And then the lemon icebox pie is a winner. You can keep it in the freezer, slice a wedge, and then put it back in freezer.

You're planning to open a bakery, called Bayou Bakery, in the area.

We don't have a date yet, but I'm talking with the broker and looking for space right now.

Dining WeekendPass

Rev Up With a Relaxing Blend

Mellow your morning ritual at newly opened Tynan Coffee and Tea

NO BEANS | Mark Lim found his spot. A San Francisco transplant, Lim looked for a community to connect with. He landed in Columbia Heights, but the neighborhood lacked a coffee shop. He bounced around to a few different places, including Busboys and Poets and Tryst, but when Tynan Coffee and Tea opened near him, Lim's search was over.

"I could be holed up at home on a Sunday, but this way I feel more social. I like the music, too — it goes from bossa nova to something more jazzy. Columbia Heights seems to be getting more suburbanized, but this place seems local," said Lim.

In fact, Tynan was started by local brothers, Jim and Brian Sullivan. The coffeehouse features a small food menu, with breakfast sandwiches, waffles all day (including a seasonal gingerbread-flavored waffle), sandwiches, soups and salads.

Besides the compact menu, Tynan's location is a serious draw; the shop is right next to the Columbia Heights Metro station and the retail land starring Target, Bed,



Skip the "Starbucks shuffle" and sit back with a cup at Tynan Coffee and Tea.

Bath and Beyond and Marshalls. And it's lured in more than just its neighbors.

Troy Kobek treks all the way from Eastern Market: "I love it here. I love the interior design, the stacked stone and the dark wood. And I can wake up after breakfast hours and still have a waffle. It's a relaxing feel."

Of course, caffeine still rules. Greta Gao has abandoned her usual Starbucks routine for the "bright, big-windowed" Tynan. "I like the coffee here. I get the medium, nonfat cappuccino with an espresso shot. The flavor is more intense. stronger." STEFANIE GANS

→ Tynan Coffee and Tea, 1400 Irving St. NW; 202-299-0811, tynancoffeeandtea.com. (Columbia Heights)



SPANISH TAPAS RESTAURANT AND BAR



Valid through Mon., November 30th at Clarendon location ONLY

Coupon valid All 7 Days of the Week Open for Thanksgiving

to parties of no more than 8 guests. One coupon per party. Coupon may not be combined with any other

and does not include beverages, taxes or gratuity. An 18% gratuity will be added to all checks prior to discount. Offer limited 703-812-9120

www.latascausa.com offer, special menu, promotional menu, or regularly offered discounts such as happy hour and daily specials. Manager



15% off your purchase!

703.524.0007 Hours: Tues. - Sat. 11-8, Sun. 12-5, Closed Monday www.artisanconfections.com



A concert to benefit

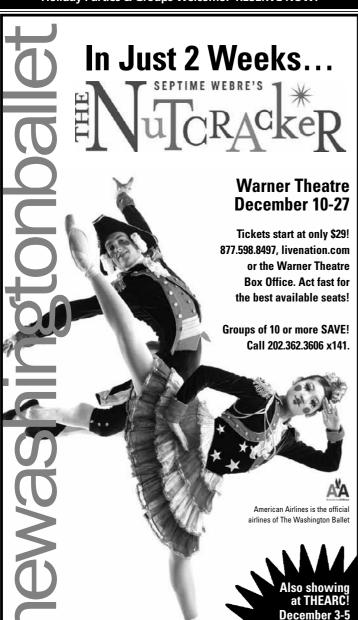
ONA Age Well. Live Well.

Saturday December 5, 2009 4:00 pm

 $Warner\ The atre\ I\ Washington,\ DC\ I\ 1299\ Pennsylvania\ Ave.,\ NW\ (one\ block\ from\ Metro\ Center)$

TICKETS: \$30 (upper balcony) \$50 \$100 (includes private reception)
Call **202.895.9416** or email **events@iona.org**

Holiday Parties & Groups Welcome! RESERVE NOW!



Drive you.

"Cars" can put you in the right wheels. Wednesdays.



XX170 2x1.5

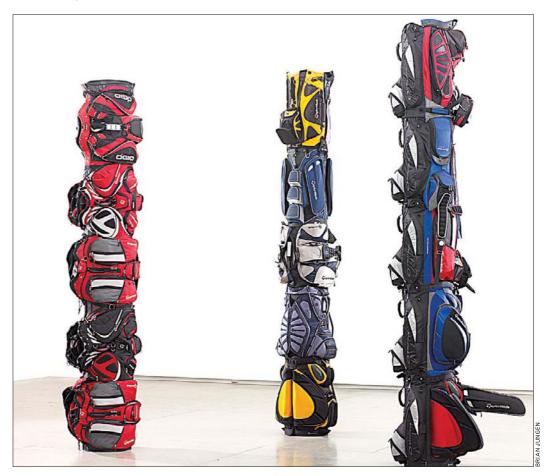
For Tickets:

202.362.3606 x605 or

washingtonballet.org

WeekendPass Entertainment

GALLERY | ALL THAT YOU CAN STACK SO HIGH



FORM OVER FUNCTION: Past meets future and totem poles emerge from backpacks as the curious stereotype-defying constructions found at Brian Jungen's "Strange Comfort" show at the National Museum of the American Indian.

TheScene

Continued from E15

day basis through Jan. 10; "The Darker Side of Light: Arts of Privacy," moody reflections from private 19th-century collections, through Jan. 18: "Renaissance to Revolution: French Drawings From the National Gallery of Art, 1500-1800," through Jan. 31; "Designing the Lincoln Memorial: Daniel Chester French & Henry Bacon" features a plaster final model of the statue. through Feb. "In the Darkroom: Photographic Processes Before the Digital Age," exhibition of the history and developing craft of capturing images on film, through March 14. Permanent exhibit, European and American paintings, sculpture and decorative arts from the I3th through the I9th centuries. 6th Street & Constitution Avenue NW; 202-737-4215, nga.gov.

National Geographic: "Terra Cotta Warriors," the legendary Chinese clay figures come to D.C., through March 3I; "Polar Obsession," photographs from the frigid and chilling arctic world, through Feb. 15. "National Geographic Image Collection," best of the magazine's storied collection, through April 15. II45 I7th St. NW; 202-857-7588, nationalgeographic.com/museum.

National Museum of African Art: "Artful Animals," a family-friendly exhibition looks into Africa and its animals, through Feb. 2I. 950 Independence Ave. SW; 202-633-4600, africa.si.edu.

National Museum of American History: The newly light-filled space contains an array of ongoing exhibitions, including "The Scurlock Studio and Black Washington: Picturing the Promise," through Feb.; "The Star-Spangled Banner: The Flag That Inspired the National Anthem"; "On the Water: Stories From Maritime America"; "Bon Appetit! Julia Child's Kitchen at the

Smithsonian"; and many more, permanent collection. I4th Street & Constitution Avenue NW; 202-633-I000, americanhistory.si.edu.

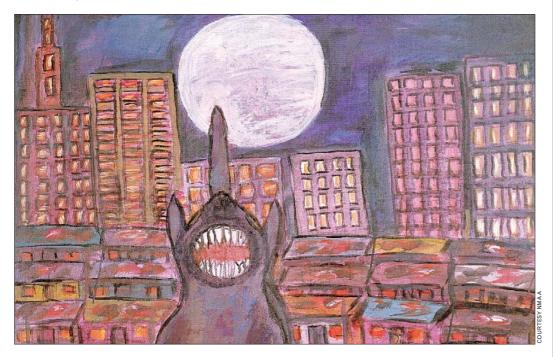
National Museum of the American Indian: "IndiVisible: African-Native American Lives in the Americas,"
20-panel exhibition focuses on the relation between African American and Native American people, through May 3l. Displays about the history and culture of American Indians, permanent collection.
4th Street and Independence Avenue SW; 202-633-1000, nmai.si.edu.

National Museum of Natural History:

"Dig It! The Secrets of the Soil," through Jan. "Since Darwin: The Evolution of Evolution," the history and timeline of one of the most influential scientific theories, through July I8; "Farmers, Warriors, Builders: The Hidden Life of Ants," the quiet and and powerful impact of some of nature's smallest creatures, through Oct. I0; "Written in Bone: Forensic Files of the I7th-Century Chesa-

Entertainment | WeekendPass

MUSEUM | WILD THINGS



BESTIARY: "Artful Animals" at the National Museum of African Art is an enchanting way for kids and their grown-ups to romp into the wild, through the very real veldt and into mythological tales. This playful show is up through July 25.

peake," through Feb. 20II, other permanent exhibitions. I0th Street & Constitution Avenue NW; 202-633-I000, mnh. si.edu.

National Museum of Women in the Arts:

"Hard Copy, Book as Sculpture," books that blend the line between paper and sculpture, through Jan. I7. I250 New York Ave. NW; 202-783-5000, nmwa. org.

LAST CHANCE National Portrait Gallery:

"One Life: Thomas Paine, the Radical Founding Father," through Sun. "Presidents in Waiting," through Jan. 3, "Portraiture Now: Communities," the individual members of small towns and families come alive through the individual portraits, through July 5. "Outwin Boochever Portrait Competition," through Aug. Other permanent exhibitions, 8th & F streets NW; 202-633-1000, npg.si.edu.

Nevin Kelly Gallery: "Zeitgeist II: What's Important Now," local artists respond to the pressing issues of today in a wide range of artistic ways, through Dec. I2. I400 Irving St. NW; 202-232-3464, nevinkellygallery.com.

Newseum: "Manhunt: Chasing Lincoln's Killer," how developments in journalism helped the pursuit of John Wilkes Booth, through Feb. 28. "Woodstock at 40: The Rise of Music Journalism," photographs, artifacts and coverage from the seminal event, through Oct. 3I. "G-Men and Journalists," a history of media coverage and the FBI, both through Dec. 3I, "Athlete: the Sports Illustrated Photography of Walter looss," nearly 50 years of documenting the world of sports from one of its greatest photographers, through Dec. 31, ongoing permanent exhibitions illustrating the role of a free press in a free society. 555 Pennsylvania Ave. NW; 888-639-7386, newseum.org.

The Phillips Collection: "Man Ray, African Art and the Modernist Lens," iconic photos that recontextualized African art and revolutionized photography, through Jan. "Brain Storm," stunning video installation from Jennifer Wen Ma, through Jan. 3. "Object as Subject: Pho-



HOLIDAY 2009

■ Once the turkey scraps have been turned into soup, the relatives are gone and Black Friday has demolished your credit card, grab some time to look around at all the great events the Washington area offers this holiday season. Herein, a short rundown of treats in the region's collective stocking. ARION BERGER (EXPRESS)

THINK BIG. NO, BIGGER

With all the bombastic spirituality for which it is famous, the **TRANS-SIBERIAN ORCHESTRA** booms into Verizon Center for its 2009 winter tour.

→ VERIZON CENTER, 601 F ST. NW; DEC. 9, \$29-\$59; 800-551-7328, VERIZONCENTER.COM. TRANS-SIBERIAN.COM.

MASTER CLASS

Always wanted to be the assistant to an evil scientist? Take cues from Igor — or is it Eye-gor? — when YOUNG FRANKENSTEIN bursts onto the Kennedy Center stage.

→ KENNEDY CENTER, 4600 F ST. NW; DEC. 15-JAN. 10, \$37-\$150; 800-444-1324, KENNEDY-CENTER.ORG.

LOCAL MAGIC

It wouldn't be Christmas without dancing candies and rat kings. The Washington Ballet presents its D.C.-centric staging of annual holiday favorite **THE NUTCRACKER** at the Warner Theatre.

→ WARNER THEATRE, 513 13TH ST. NW; DEC. 10-27, \$29-\$85; 877-598-8497, WASHING-TONBALLET.ORG.

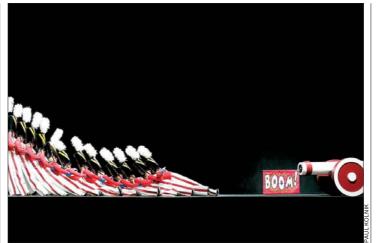
A SNARKY CHRISTMAS

Mommy! Daddy! Santa brought me something. It's — aaauuugh! "Weird Al" Yankovic, Michael J. Nelson, Kevin Murphy and Bill Corbett cracking wise on holiday shorts in RIFFTRAX LIVE: CHRISTMAS SHORTS-STRAVAGANZA! Is nothing sacred?

→ DEC. 16, FATHOMEVENTS.COM.

GIFT FROM THE BIG APPLE

You don't have to travel far to spend Christmas in New York. The RADIO CITY CHRISTMAS SPECTACULAR hits the Patriot Center in all its high-kicking glory for two weekends in December.



The New York cast of the Radio City Christmas Spectacluar shows its precision.

→ PATRIOT CENTER, 4500 PATRIOT CIR-CLE, FAIRFAX; DEC. 15-16, VERIZON CEN-TER, DEC. 18-20, \$52.50-\$99; 800-551-7328, PATRIOTCENTER.COM.

SOUR SUGARPLUMS

There's just a little too much good cheer going around this season. Fortunately, Shakespeare Theatre Company accommodates local Scrooges with a production of THE SCREWTAPE LETTERS, based on the

C.S. Lewis novel about a trainne demon learning the ropes.

→ LANSBURGH THEATRE, 450 7TH ST. NW; DEC. 16-JAN. 3, \$20-\$60; 877-487-8849, SHAKESPEARETHEATRE.ORG.

RAISED IN SONG

Your voice — and the voices of the hundreds of libretto-clutching songbirds in the theater — stars in the Kennedy Center's annual sing-along of HANDEL'S MESSIAH.

Tickets will be distributed, one per person, at 6 p.m. on the day of the performance.

→ KENNEDY CENTER,4600 F ST. NW; DEC. 23, 8 P.M., FREE; 800-444-1324, KENNEDYCENTER.ORG.

THE SPIRIT OF KWANZAA

Coyaba Dance Theatre celebrates Kwanzaa with energy, verve and color at its KWANZAA CELEBRATION. The performance includes students of all ages, and for audience members, is a great way to introduce children to the magic of dance and the holiday.

→ DANCE PLACE, 3225 8TH ST. NE; DEC. I9-20, \$8-\$22; 202-269-I600, DANCEPLACE. ORG. (BROOKLAND-CUA)

ANOTHER LIGHT

Why let the National Christmas Tree lighting ceremony take all the glory? The lighting of the NATIONAL HANNUKAH MENORAH on the Ellipse is a beautiful ceremony, and hot latkes and doughnuts, games and music are also on the slate.

→ THE ELLIPSE, DEC. 13, 4 P.M., FREE; 202-332-5600. NATIONALMENORAH.ORG.

WeekendPass Entertainment

TheScene

Continued from E19

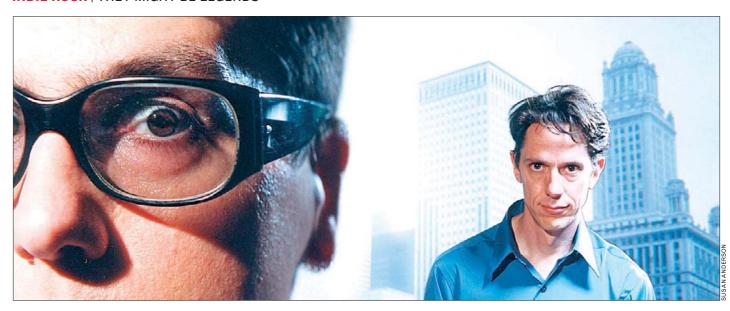
tographs of the Czech Avant-Garde," through Feb. 7. I600 2Ist St. NW; 202-387-2I5I, phillipscollection.org.

Renwick Gallery: "Staged Stories: Renwick Craft Invitational 2009," Christyl Boger, Mark Newport, Mary Van Cline and SunKoo Yuh handle ceramic and fiber past traditional limits of functionality and focus on the narrative qualities of their material, through Jan. 3; "Grand Salon — Paintings From the Smithsonian American Art Museum," permanent. 1661 Pennsylvania Ave. NW; 202-633-2850, americanart.si.edu/

LAST CHANCE Reyes + Davis:

"Poseidon Project Part I," hanging sculptures from Barbara Josephs

INDIE ROCK | THEY MIGHT BE LEGENDS



NOTHING SMALL: John Flansburgh and John Linnell have never taken themselves too seriously. Quirky lyrics, paired with highly addictive hooks, have served the founding members of They Might Be Giants for more than 20 years. On Saturday, the duo plays two shows at the 9:30 Club; tickets are still available for the late show.

Sign up today for the new Fit e-newsletter from Express!

Get great information from Express' Fit section

FREE...



Including tips on:

- ✓ Exercise
- Nutrition
- ✓ Wellness

...delivered to your e-mail inbox every Tuesday.

express

Visit ExpressNightOut.com/newsletter to sign up today!

Entertainment WeekendPass

Liotta, through Fri. 923 F St. NW; 202-255-5050, reyesdavis.com.

Smithsonian American Art

Museum: "1934: A New Deal for Artists," paintings spawned from the first federally funded program for the arts, through Jan. 3. "The Honor of Your Company Is Requested," President Abraham Lincoln's inaugural ball, through Jan. 18. "What's It All Mean?" retrospective of the paintings and work of William T. Wiley, through Jan. 24. Permanent collection, ongoing. 8th & F streets NW; 202-633-1000, americanart.si.edu.

Stamp Gallery: "Toppled," multi-dimensional media mix in Jessica Vaughn's examination of the role of movement in the exploration of race, politics and myth, through Dec. 18. 1222 Stamp Student Union, University of Maryland, College Park; thestamp.umd.edu/gallery.

Studio Gallery: "Call and Response,"
35 member artists exhibit a range of
works encompassing various forms and
topics, through Dec. I9. 2IO8 R St.; 202232-8734, studiogallerydc.com.

The Textile Museum: "Recent Acquisitions," the top new additions to the museum, through Jan. 3; "Contemporary Japanese Fashion: The Mary Basket Collection," through April II. 2320 S St. NW; 202-667-044I, textile museum.org.

Torpedo Factory: "Projections: Line on Land," drawings from Renee van der Stelt reflect and shape the perception of space, through Nov. 29. IO5 N. Union St., Alexandria; 703-838-4565, torpedo factory.org.

Transformer Gallery: "A Hole in the Wall," yellow bricks, video and changing constructions mark Geoffrey Aldridge's reflections on the continuing struggle of the gay community, through Dec. 26. I404 P St. NW; 202-483-II02, transformergallery.org.

U.S. Botanic Garden: "African-American Gardens: Places of the Spirit." Permanent exhibitions of more than 4,000 plants and a tropical rain forest. IOO Maryland Ave. SW; 202-225-8333, usbg.gov.

U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum:

"A Dangerous Lie: Protocols of the Elders of Zion," "State of Deception: The Power of Nazi Propaganda," "Remember the Children: Daniel's Story," alongside other poignant exhibitions of artifacts, photographs and oral histories from the Holocaust era. 100 Raoul Wal-

STAGE | PAY VERY CLOSE ATTENTION



PROJECTING THE PASSION: The biggest tragedy of William Shakespeare's life is that he didn't live in the age of cinema. Fortunately, Maria Aitken rectifies this historical glitch with her direction of "As You Like It" for the Shakespeare Theatre Company. It's a glittering Roman candle of ideas borrowed from or paying homage to the silver screen, and includes enough time travel to disorient those more solidly ground than the confused young lovers at the play's heart, and runs through Dec. 20.

lenberg Place/I5th St. SW; 202-488-0400, ushmm.org.

The Walters Art Museum: "Heroes: Mortals and Myths in Ancient Greece," statues, vases, jewelry and other art, on loan from various museums, combine to discuss the meaning of heroism, through Jan. 3. 600 N. Charles St., Baltimore, Md.; 410-547-9000, the walters.org.

Washington Printmakers Gallery:

"Cones n' Tones," soft prints from Anne McLaughlin borrow from universally soothing themes and expand them into striking canvass reflections, through Nov. 29. I732 Connecticut Ave. NW; 202-332-7757, washingtonprintmakers.com.

Washington Project for the Arts:

"Influence = Convergence," bent metallic and curving sculptures from Minna Newman Nathanson meet the rune-like paintings of Chilean artist Joan Belmar, through Nov. 25. 2023 Massachusetts Ave. NW; 202-234-7103, wpadc.org.

Washington Sculptors Group: "With

These Hands: the Sculptures of Sy Gresser and Bill Taylor," two area sculptors' work shows at the University of Maryland's University College, through Dec. I5. 350I University Blvd. E., Adelphi, Md.; 30I-955-7937, washington sculptors.org.

Winter Palace Studio: "Black Kitchen Magic, Etc." realistic paintings from Natasha Mokina and Victor Pakhomkin, through Dec. 14. 1054 31st St. NW; 301-263-0000, winterpalacestudio.com.

WVSA Articulate Gallery: "It's All About the Journey," transportation-themed art from younger artists of WVSA, through Jan. 23. IIOO I6th St. NW; 202-296-9I00, wvsarts.org.



A Streetcar Named Desire: Tennessee Williams' smoldering New Orleansset drama allows Cate Blanchett, Joel Edgerton and Robin McLeavy to shine, through Nov. 2I, sold out. Kennedy Center, 2700 F St. NW; 800-444-I324, kennedy-center.org.

As You Like It: The Bard is placed on a movie set as director Maria Aitken retells Shakespeare's story of searching loveand missed connections in the mythical land of Hollywood film history, through Dec. 20, \$20-\$87. 516 8th St. SE; 877-487-8849, shakespearetheatre.org.

August: Osage County: The Pulitzer Prize- and Tony Award-winning play detailing of the climactic meltdown of one large family, through Dec. 20, \$25-\$80. Kennedy Center, 2700 F St. NW; 800-444-I324, kennedy-center.org.

LAST CHANCE Call Mr. Robeson:

Tayo Aluko sings and acts his way through this dramatic rendering of the life of social activist Paul Robeson, through Sun., \$20. D.C. Arts Center, 2438 I8th St. NW; 800-838-3996, brownpapertickets.com.

Camelot: The Tony Award-winning musical journey into the knight-circled table and kingdom, through Jan. 3, \$26-\$49, Olney Theatre Center, 2001 Olney-Sandy Spring Road, Olney; 301-924-3400, olneytheatre.org.

Charlotte's Web: One talented pig returns to the stage in this adaptation of E.B. White's classic children's tale, through Nov. 22, \$13. Laurel Mill Playhouse, 508 Main St., Laurel, Md.; 301-617-9906, laurelmillplayhouse.org.

THIS WEEKEND ONLY Dance Festival of India 2009: The best and most colorful in the world of Indian dance, Fri.-Sun., \$10-\$35. Thomas Jefferson Theater, 125 South Glebe Road, Arlington; ideadancers.org.

Disco Pigs: A frenetic look into the pounding birthday night of two teenagers in Cork, Ireland, through Dec. 5, \$20. Solas Nua, 9I6 G St. NW; 800-494-8497, solasnua.org.

Continued on E23

*** FREE PERFORMANCES 365 DAYS A YEAR *** Weekend Pass



EVERY DAY AT 6 P.M. NO TICKETS REQUIRED

Brought to you by



NOVEMBER 25-DECEMBER 9

25 WED ★ Asian American **Music Society**

Student winners from the Society's international competition perform.

26 THU * Bob Perilla's **Big Hillbilly Bluegrass**

America's de facto Bluegrass Ambassadors.

27 FRI * N'dambi

Soul/ R&B songstress and pianist performs tunes from her recently released debut CD Pink Elephant.

28 SAT * Bob Boguslaw's Real Live Jazz Quartet

Led by the classically trained pianist, the group brings a grace and eloquence to their improvisational jazz jams, as heard on The Way.

29 SUN * Victoria Vox

The Strathmore Artist-in-Residence rocks with the ukulele and vocals.

30 MON * U.S. Air Force Chamber Ensemble

Featuring music for the tuba.

1 TUE * U.S. Army Blues

The premier jazz ensemble of the U.S. Army performs Duke Ellington's Nutcracker Suite.

2 WED * WPAS Capitol **Jazz Project**

Participants in this co-collaboration with Jazz at Lincoln Center-students from six D.C. middle schools-play swinging standards.

3 THU * The Berntsons

The family musicians play Scandinavian folk tunes.

Part of the Homegrown: The Music of America

4 FRI \star \odot Family Night: Rocknoceros

The group has dominated the D.C. children's music scene since its incention in 2005, winning four Washington Area Music Awards.

5 SAT * NSO Prelude

National Symphony Orchestra members play Beethoven, Dvořák, and Ysave.

IN THE THEATER LAB

6 SUN * Pepe Reves y su Mariachi Monumental de Cuscatlán

The band excites audiences with its infectious traditional Mariachi music.

IN THE THEATER LAB

7 MON * Norwegian Visions

Double bassist Ingebrigt Håker Flaten and saxophonist/flutonettist Håkon Kornstad are up-and-coming jazz musicians.

Created in 1995, Norwegian Visions is a cultural partnership program initiated by the Royal Norwegian Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

8 TUE * U.S. Army Blues

The big band returns to present "Stan Kenton Christmas," a tribute to the legendary pianist and big band leader.

9 WED * U.S. Air Force **Band Chamber Players**

Featuring music for the trombone.

ALL PERFORMERS AND PROGRAMS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE.

FRI 27 🖈 N'DAMBI



THE U.S. ARMY BLUES



FRI 4 * ROCKNOCEROS

DAILY FOOD AND DRINK SPECIALS.

5-6 P.M. NIGHTLY * GRAND FOYER BARS

The Millennium Stage was created and underwritten by James A. The Millennium Stage was created and underwritten by James A. Johnson and Maxine Isaas to make the performing arts accessible to everyone in fulfillment of the Kennedy Center's mission to its community and the nation. The Millennium Stage, underwritten by James A. Johnson and Maxine Isaacs, is brought to the public by Target Stores, with additional funding provided by The U.S. Department of Education, The Morris and Gwendolyn Carfitz Foundation, Capital One Financial Corporation, The Meredith Foundation, Dr. Deborah Rose and Dr. Jan A.J. Stolwijk, DC Commission on the Arts and Humanities, the Millennium Stage Endowment Fund, and the Kennedy Center Washington Committee on the Arts.

Live Internet broadcast, video archive, artist information, and more at kennedy-center.org/millennium



TAKE METRO to the Foggy Bottom/ GWU station and ride the free Kennedy Center shuttle departing every 15 minutes until midnight.

FREE TOURS are given daily by the Friends of the Kennedy Center tour guides. Tour hours: Monday thru Friday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., and Saturday and Sunday from 10 a.m.-1 p.m. For information, call (202) 416-8340. For more information call: (202) 467-4600 (202) 416-8524 TTY



GET CONNECTED! Become a fan of Millennium Stage on Facebook and check out artist photos, upcoming

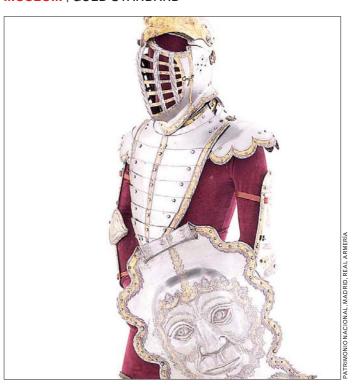
PLEASE NOTE: There is no free parking for free

The Kennedy Center welcom persons with disabilities

5



MUSEUM | GOLD STANDARD



DANDY: If "every girl's crazy for a sharp-dressed man," as ZZ Top wisely sang, then fellows such as Spanish Emperor Charles V. whose armor is pictured. must have had to beat off the senoritas with a stick. "The Art of Power: Royal Armor and Portraits of Imperial Spain" is at the National Gallery of Art.

venues

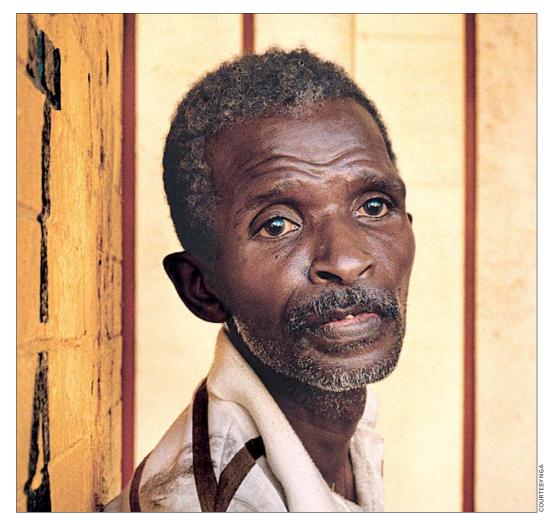
- → 9:30 CLUB: 815 V ST. NW; 202-265-0930.930.COM.
- → BIRCHMERE: 3701 MT. VERNON AVE., ALEXANDRIA; 703-549-7500, BIRCHMERE.COM.
- → BLACK CAT: 1811 14TH ST. NW; 202-667-7960, BLACKCATDC.COM.
- → BLUES ALLEY: 1073 WISCONSIN AVE. NW; 202-337-4141, BLUES ALLEY.COM.
- → BOHEMIAN CAVERNS: 2001 IITH ST. NW: 202-299-0800, BOHEMIAN CAVERNS COM
- → COMET PING PONG: 5037 CON-NECTICUT AVE. NW; 202-364-0404, COMETPINGPONG.COM.
- → DC NINE: 1940 9TH ST. NW; 202-483-5000, DCNINE.COM.
- → HR-57: 1610 14TH ST. NW; 202-667-3700, HR57.ORG.
- → IOTA: 2832 WILSON BLVD., ARLING-TON; 703-522-8340, IOTACLUBAND CAFE.COM.

- → JAMMIN' JAVA: 227 MAPLE AVE.
- E., VIENNA, VA.; 703-255-1566, JAMMINJAVA.COM.
- JAXX: 6355 ROLLING ROAD. SPRINGFIELD, VA.; 703-569-5940, JAXXROXX.COM.
- → KENNEDY CENTER: 2700 F ST. NW; 800-444-I324, KENNEDY-CEN TER ORG
- → THE RED AND THE BLACK: 1212 H ST. NE; 202-399-3201, REDANDBLACKBAR.COM.
- → ROCK AND ROLL HOTEL: 1353 H ST. NE; 202-388-7625, ROCKANDROLL HOTELDC.COM.
- → STATE THEATRE: 220 N. WASHING-TON, FALLS CHURCH; 703-237-0300, THESTATETHEATRE COM
- → STRATHMORE: 5301 TUCKERMAN LANE, N. BETHESDA; 301-581-5100, STRATHMORE.ORG.
- → TWINS JAZZ: 344 U ST. NW; 202-234-0072, TWINSJAZZ.COM.
- → VELVET LOUNGE: 915 U ST. NW: 202-462-32I3, VELVETLOUNGEDC.COM.
- → WOLF TRAP: 1645 TRAP ROAD. VIENNA, VA.; 703-255-1900, WOLFTRAP. ORG.



Entertainment | WeekendPass

PHOTOGRAPHY | WHO WE ARE



TELL ME YOUR STORY: Reclusive American photographer Robert Bergman puts people he doesn't know at ease and then takes photographs, concentrating on bodies and clothes as well as faces. The result, seen in "Robert Bergman: Portraits, 1986-1995," at the National Gallery of Art, is a portrait of us in our sad, angry, fragile and glorious humanity.

TheScene

Continued from E21

The Fantasticks: Arena Stage brings one of the longest running love stories comes, with all its timeless charm, through Jan. IO, \$25-\$74. I2I5 U St. NW; 202-488-3300, arenastage.org.

LAST CHANCE Full Circle: An off-center, satiric look into the chaos of the days following the fall of the Berlin Wall, through Sun., \$27-\$57. Woolly Mammoth Theatre, 64I D St. NW; 202-393-3939, woollymammoth.net.

Jersey Boys: The Tony Award-winning, song-filled story of four average kids and their journey to rock 'n' roll stardom, through Dec. I2, \$5I-\$2I5. National Theatre, I32I Pennsylvania Ave. NW; 202628-6161, nationaltheatre.org.

LAST CHANCE Lost in Yonkers: Neil

Simon's touching story of the pains of growing up in America, through Sun., \$30-\$55. Theater J, I529 I6th St. NW; 800-494-5287, theaterj.org.

Lulu: Frank Wedekind's infamous It Girl ascends and falls precipitously in this parable about vice and sexual freedom, Washington Shakespeare Company stages this production through Dec. I3, \$26.50, Clark Street Playhouse, 60I S. Clark St., Arlington; 800-494-8497, boxofficetickets.com/wsc.

LAST CHANCE Much Ado About

Nothing: Shakespeare meets the District in this contemporary reimagining, through Sun., \$39-\$60. Folger Theatre, 20I E. Capitol St. SE; 202-544-7077, folger.edu.

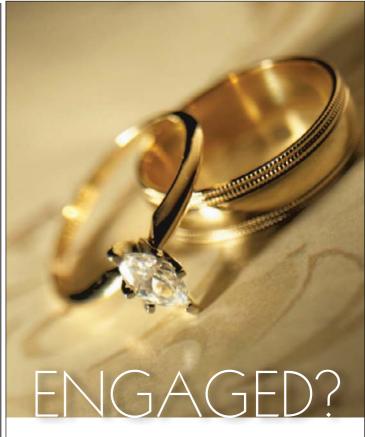
LAST CHANCE Of Mice and Men:

John Steinbeck's Great Depression tragedy is retold by Keegan Theatre, through Sun., \$25-\$30. Church Street Theatre, 1742 Church St. NW; 703-892-0202, keegantheatre.com.

Pearl Bailey ... by Request: Roz White plays the wity songbird, through Dec. 20, \$45-\$50. Metro Stage, I20I N. Royal St., Alexandria; 800-494-8497, metrostage.org.

Seasonal Disorder: Washington
Improv Theater tackles the dysfunction
and insanity of the holidays, through
Dec. 19, \$25. Source Theatre, 1835 14th
St. NW; 800-494- 8497, sourcedc.org.
Showboat: The musical about life on the
Mississippi provides a look into the

Mississippi provides a look into the nature of change and prejudice, through Jan. 17, \$30-\$57. Signature Theatre, 4200 Campbell Ave., Arlington; 703-573-7328, signature-theatre.org.



Congratulations!

Tell the world with an announcement in The Washington Post.

Color now available!

weddings@washpost.com 202-334-5736

Have a love story for us? e-mail onlove@washpost.com

The Washington Post

If you don't get it, you don't get it.

XPC334 2x10.5





NEWLY RENOVATED Huntington Gardens

Move In before Nov. 30th and **Enjoy Christmas Shopping on us!**

(1 MONTH FREE, * SELECT 2 & 3 BR UNITS)
No Move In Fees
1BR frm \$975. 2BR frm \$1150. 3BR frm \$1450

- Short Walk to Huntington Metro
 State-of-the-art Kitchens
 Controlled access Buildings

- Resident Fitness Center

FREE on-site Parking Nearby shopping and dining Call 888-615-7439

www.huntingtongardensapartments.com 2833 Fairhaven Avenue, Alexandria, VA 22303 Minutes to i-495 and Old Town

Everything but YOU!

Kings Gardens Apartment Homes

walking distance to restaurants, shopping and the Huntington metro. You are 1 mile from 495 Beltway, minutes to Washington DC, MD, Old Town, Ft. Belvoir and many local attractions Call Today! Move Today!

6300 SOUTH KINGS HIGHWAY ALEXANDRIA, VA 22306

kingsgardens.net

866.277.1218

3 BR TH

703-780-6244

Studio /Eff Apt 703-780-0161 \$650



- SOPHISTICATED ARLINGTON APARTMENT HOMES FROM: \$1077
- MINUTES FROM CRYSTAL CITY AND THE PENTAGON
- FREE SHUTTLE SERVICE TO PENTAGON CITY METRO SHORT TERM LEASE & FURNISHED HOMES AVAILABLE
 - MOVE-IN FEES WAIVED WITH THIS AD

CALL 24/7: 888-811-7527

1850 Columbia Pike Arlington, VA 22204 www.LiveTheWellington.com



Kings Gardens

Apartment Homes

1,2 & 3 Bedrooms (Dens also available) Move in Today!

C harming ,quaint ,small town feel with city convenience.

H op, Skip and a Jump to Restaurants, Shopping & Huntington Metro.

E asy Commute to Old Towne, D.C., Maryland, National Harbor, Ft. Belvoir & more.

A waiting your application. PAY NOTHING to apply. For a limited time only.

P arking Included, Gas & Water too!

E liminate the headaches. Service Guarantee.

R elief from the hustle and bustle.

866.277.1218





Convenience & Reasonably Priced Apartments!

Bayvue

Apartment Homes

- 1,2 & 3 Bedroom Apartments
- Virginia Railway Express, The
- Tysons Express & Omni-Link Bus Service
 Individually Controlled Heat
- & Air Conditioning

 Gas & Water Utilities Included
- Swimming Pool
- Clothes Care Centers
- Walk to Shopping

1293 BAYSIDE AVE., • WOODBRIDGE, VA 22191 bayvue.net 877.880.7080

Phoenix Fall Specials! 2 Months Free*

- Spacious floorplans
- Large closets
- Newly Renovated Apts. Available
- Controlled access

The Phoenix 866-807 0429

5802 Annapolis Rd, Bladensburg, Md. www.phoenixaptsmd.com

Bladensburg, MD - SFH, Totally remod. 4BR/3BA, full bsmt w/BA & kit. Can be used as rental unit mins fr B.W. Prkwy. 240-463-8150, 202-556-5135

A BLOWOUT SPECIAL YOU WON'T BELIEVE IT!

1, 2, & 3 BEDROOMS STARTING AS LOW AS \$800*

- Free Cable/HBO
- Individually Controlled Heat 24 Hour Fitness Center
- Magic Johnson Computer Learning Center 24 Hour Emergency Maintenance Laundry Facilities

Autumn Woods Apartments

5033 57th Avenue Bladensburg, MD 20710

877-391-5586

andex Management - Where communities Begin

*Restrictions Apply

ADDISON CHAPEL

OPEN HOUSE

SATURDAY, November 21, 2009 \$250 off at move in! FREE ACCENT WALL FREE APPLICATION FEE (\$35 APP FEE REBATE UPON MOVE IN)

> PAY NO UTILITY BILLS* ALL UTILITIES INCLUDED*

1 BEDROOMS FROM \$789 2 BEDROOMS FROM \$849 FOR A LIMITED TIME ONLY! 2 REDROOMS

(866) 574-7408

*FOR A SMALL FEE WWW.ADDISONCHAPEL.COM

Carlyle @ Harbor Pointe

Only Gated Community in Oxon Hill, Md

Move in with \$87.50!!

5618 Livingston Terrace Oxon Hill, Md 20745 301-839-4000 office

Woods At Addison

6500 Ronald Rd. Capital Heights, MD 20743 888-291-7383

2 BR Special Starting at \$1005 \$0 Application Fee

pacious Floor Plans

- Huge Closets
 On-Site Laundry Facilities
 Resident Controlled Access
 Choice of Patio or Balcony

William C. Smith & Co. www.wcsmith.com

CAPITOL HEIGHTS

CAPITOL COURTS

6936 Walker Mill Rd. Capitol Heights, MD 20743

1-866-204-8062

2BR Starting at \$950 3BR Starting at \$1040 1Month Free Rent!!

- Controlled EntryIndividual Patios/BalconiesSpacious Closets

- Wall-to-Wall Carpeting
 Large On-site Laundry Facilities
 Central Heat & AC
 Playgrounds
- Playgrounds

William C. Smith & Co./EHO www.wcsmith.com • *Call for details.

CAPITOL HEIGHTS

CAPITOL COURTS

6936 Walker Mill Rd. Capitol Heights, MD 20743 **1-866-204-8062**

2BR Starting at \$950 3BR Starting at \$1040 1Month Free Rent!!

- Controlled Entry
- Individual Patios/Balconies
 Spacious Closets
 Wall-to-Wall Carpeting
 Large On-site Laundry Facilities

- Central Heat & AC
 Playgrounds

 Swimming Pool William C. Smith & Co./EHO www.wcsmith.com *Call for details.

Highland Ridge **Apartments**

First Come-First Serve 1 Bedrooms from \$799.00 2 Bedrooms from \$899.00

FREE application Fee plus \$300 MOVES YOU IN HURRY! Only a Few Apartments Left Must move in by November 30,2009

888-240-4569

Newly renovated apartment homes
Wall to Wall Carpet
Upgraded Kitchen with Breakfast Bar
Minutes away from New National Harbor
Military discount available

Must be in by Nov. 30th Rents as low as \$699.00

Hours: Mon-Fri 9-6, Sat 10-5, Sun1-5 Tues and Thurs Open Late
We are a Pet Friendly Community

1.2 & 3BR renovated apts \$850!

Reduced Sec. Deposits!!!

No App Fees, just bring proof of income & driver's License!!!

Call Dominique @ 301-803-0938 to schedule your appt!

Chevy Chase—2 br. 2 ba condo - \$2,000/mo. TWC MONTH FREE! Nr Metro in premier bldg. Pkg in secure garage, renovated kitchen, washer/dlyer, 8th fl w/ balc. Heat, A/C incl. Pool and fitness. 301-

COLLEGE PARK, MD-3 BR, 2 BA SFH, newly remodeled, close to Univ of MD and Beltway \$1500. Call **240-463-8150**, **202-556-5135**



DC - NEWCOMB ST & 13th ST SE 2BR from \$695/mo + utilities. W-W carpet, CAC. Dish Washer, **202-388-3900**

Del Ray—Cozy studio apt avail now-only \$799/mo! 3292 Mt Vernon Av 22305--Free utilities! 703.655.3725

FALL INTO SAVINGS

ELSINORE COURTYARD APARTMENTS

NO APPLICATION FEE!! \$99 SECURITY DEPOSIT!! ONE MONTH FREE RENT!!
IMMEDIATE MOVE IN'S!!!

1 BRS FROM \$735 TO \$785

2 BRS FROM \$ 835 TO \$865 BEAUTIFUL HARDWOOD FLOORS
WALK IN CLOSETS
SELECT UNITS WITH ALL UTILITES INCLUDED
SELECT UNITS WIH PATIOS OR BALCONYS

-LAUNDRY FACILITIES ON COMMUNITY CALL FOR MORE DETAILS FI SINORE COURTYARD APARTMENTS 5312 E STREET SE WASHINGTON, DC 20019 202-581-3687

FALLS CHURCH/MERRIFIELD

Apartments from \$1200

Great Location, Close to I-495, Fairfax Hospital, New Merrifield Town Center, Tysons Corner Center and Fairview Park.

- Washer & Drver in each Apartment
- WE PAY, water, gas cooking, gas hot water NEW fitness Center/NEW Business Kiosk NEW Children's Play Area Individiually Controlled Heat and A/C

- Pool/Bike-Jogging Trail, Tennis Courts

FAIRFIELD CROSSING

· 1-866-744-0486

7703 Lee Hwy, Falls Church, VA 22042

EFF \$699 • 1BR \$765 • 2BR \$825

- Community center/tennis courts
- Walking distance to shopping
- Beautiful manicured lawns
- ★ Wall to Wall Carpet Window in kitchen & bath
- Controlled building access

coms 625 Audrey Lane, Oxon Hill, MD 20745 877-221-7315 M-Thur 9-7pm • Fri 9-6pm • Sat 10-5pm • Sun 12-4pm

CAT FRIENDLY

PENN LANDING

SUPER SPECIALS 2 MONTHS FREE!*

1 BRs from \$690* 2 BRs from \$807*

CALL 301-735-3200 www.pennlandingapts.com
"Managed with Pride" by Gates Hudson

Fort Belvoir - 7016 Stone Inlet Drive, \$2975.00. Luxury Single Family Home, 5BR, 3.5BA, 4000sf, 2 Car garage **571-451-2099**

ONE MONTH

District Heights

2128 County Road

AYGROUND FF STREET PARKING

VALLEYBROOK APARTMENTS

- ✓ Some Units Newly Renovated
- ✓ Wall-to-Wall Carpet
- Private Patio or Balcony
- ✓ Individually Controlled Heat & AC

✓ Bus Stop at Entrance

TIGHT BUDGET? WE PAY 50% OF ELECTRIC*

We Pay Gas and Water 888-842-3442

United Investors

MANAGEMENT CORP

Holly Spring Meadows 5521 Marlboro Pike

(888) 728-4254

1BR & Den \$950 **\$99 Security Deposit**

*Controlled Entry System *Kitchens with Dishwashers Wall to Wall Carpet *Patio/Balconies *Close to Metro Station

William C. Smith + Co./EHO www.wcsmith.com

All utilities included 2brs from\$1074 3brs from \$1370

- * Walk-in closets
- * Full equipped kitchen
- * Patios & balconies
- * Convenient to 495 & 295

River Pointe 888-261-8640

8340 Indian Head Highway Fort Washington, MD 20744

GREENBELT Within Walking Distance to Metro

EMPIRIAN VILLAGE HAS IT ALL!

Rents start at \$ 769*

ONE MONTH FREE RENT ON OUR TOWNHOMES!

Foreclosure Applicants Welcome 5 Minute Pre-Approval

866-513-7965

6220 Springhill Dr., Greenbelt Md 20770 limited time offer . Call for Details! *Must Move in by 11/27/2009

Hillcrest—\$1300, 2br1ba, 2800 Texas Avenue VOUCHER HOUSING, HEATincl 202-669-8473

University City Apartments

\$99 Security Deposit w/approved Credit FREE APPLICATION REBATE - upon move-in ALL UTILITIES INCLUDED

1 & 2 Bedroom's from \$779 - \$1029

APARTMENTS AVAILABLE Free Accent Wall

some restrictions apply CALL NOW 866-405-6986

2213 University Blvd. Hyattsville MD 20783

Check out our 2 Bedrooms!

Highview Terrace

- All Utilities Included
- Renovated Kitchens & Bathrooms
- Wall-to-Wall Carpet
- · Walk-in Closets
- Swimming Pool
- Picnic Areas

HYATTSVILLE Nr Arts Distr-MOVE IN SPECIAL on residential street next to DeMatha HS. I 1 and 2 BR Apts. Avail. (plus elect) ! **301-779-1734**

Lake Ridge-\$1350, 3 br/1.5 ba, 2 LV townhouse a 12245 Granada Way, Newly Ren, DW, WD, Hw Flrs

SUMMER RIDGE NO RENT UNTIL JANUARY!

1, 2 & 3 Bedrooms Available Less than perfect credit

Semi-Gated Community
\$250 Security Deposit
FREE After Care Program
Central AC/Heating • Computer Lab
Wall-to-Wall Carpeting
Free Parking & Metro Accessible

www.summerridgeapartments.net 1829 Belle Haven Drive, Landover MD 20785

Mon-Fri: 9-7 • Sat: 10-5 • Sun: 12-4

MT. RAINIER-- \$750 MOVE IN SPECIAL!

Close to shops & rec. center. 1BR, \$760. 2BR \$865. Utils. incl. (A/C xtra) CALL TODAY! 301-277-6202

1-877-272-5333

1BR Starting at \$795

*GREAT LOCATION!!!!!!
*Near Catholic University and Howard University *Off North Capitol Street; Near to Carroll Higl

Close to Metro (Red Line) *Laundry Facilities in Building *Cable Ready

> William C. Smith & CO./EHO www.wcsmith.com

partial utilities. W/D. \$850 Call Paul 301-379-0586

Newburg—3 br, 1 ba, newburg md. 240-432-9456 Mr.Ronald Jackson.

close to Eastern Market off street parking income restrictions apply Housing Vouchers Welcome

JETU APARTMENTS 869 21st St

HOLIDAY SPECIAL! 1 and 2 BR Starting @ \$745

AZEEZE BATES

(Part of the Pentacle Group)

1 BRs from \$760 2 BRs from \$850

Completely renovated community

Metro bus stops right at the community Across the street from shopping Resident controlled access

888-656-2544 1507 Benning Rd., NE Washington DC 20002

www.horningbrothers.com

- FREE UTILITIES
 Wall-to-Wall Carpet
 Resident Controlled Entry

- On-site Laundry & Playgrounds 24-hr. Emergency Maintenance Steps away from Cafe, Shopping & Metro
- Pick vour accent wall

877-814-0692

William C. Smith & Co./EHO www.wcsmith.com

NF- Newly renyovated 2BR ant Near Bus lines section 8 ok.secure building.

Ames Street Apts. 3533 Ames St. NE Wash, DC 20019

All 1 Bedrooms only \$725/month!

Renovated 1 bedroom apts! Near Minn Ave Metro Station
On Site Laundry Facilities
24 Hour Emergency Maintenance

Showing apts. 7 days a week! Call Dominique @ 301-803-0938 for an appt. TODAY!

BR \$925 incl utils. Laundry on-site Ms. Mitchell 301-316-4590

Maple Ridge 888-583-3045

2252 Brightseat Road • Landover, MD 20785

* select units

Colonial Village • Swimming pool

908 Marcy Ave. . 0xon HIII, MD 20745

• FREE UTILITIES

Free 6 week

Gated Community

Free Gas & Water

· State-of-the-art fitness center

summer camp

- Swimming pool
- · Private balconies/patios
- . Minutes to Metro, DC,
- Virginia, and 495

Gated Community

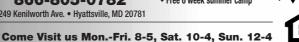
- FREE Gas & Water • Free 6 week summer cam . B/W Parkway, Metro, 495
- New Walmart **Across the Street**
- APPLY NOW-Move in by 12/1. Call for details.

Fletchers Field **Upartments** 866-805-0782

5249 Kenilworth Ave. • Hyattsville, MD 20781

- Dishwasher

- · Free 6 week summer camp



RENTALS

ject to change.

l for detal

1, 2, & 3 BR Apts Huge 2 BR Townhomes

Parkview Gardens

888-251-1872

6400 Riverdale Road • Riverdale, MD 20737

GATED COMMUNITY Furnished Apartments**

· Fitness Center on Property

- Beautiful Kitchens-**Granite Countertops***
- Washer/Drver**
- Outdoor & Indoor Pools
- · Free 6 week summer camp

· Roomy, Modern Apts

· Cathedral ceiling

*select units

 FREE UTILITIES Walk to Metro

Walk to Elementary

• Daycare on Premises

· Free 6 week summer camp

Security Deposit payment

Private Balconies/Patios

• 1, 2, & 3 BR AVAILABLE

HUGE 2 BR TOWNHOMES

· Free 6 week summer camp

Riverdale Village

800-767-2189

5409 Riverdale Road • Riverdale, MD 20781

Kings Square **Apartments**

877-898-6958 3402 Dodge Park Road . Landover, MD 20785

Fleetwood

Village Apts

721 Chillum Road • Hyattsville, MD 20783

- plan (call for details)
- FREE WATER, GAS HEATING & COOKING • Right on DC and Maryland line
- Close to Fort Totten & West Hvattsville Metro
- FREE APPLICATION FEE
- Free 6 wk summer camn

· Convenient to shops, schools and I-495

Come Visit us Mon.-Fri. 8-5, Sat. 10-4, Sun. 12-4





Welcome Home

Rollingwood Apts from the

888-700-5456

Silver Spring, MD 20910

Rollingwood-Apts.com

- Renovated Apt. Homes Available
- Minutes to Bethesda & downtown Silver Spring • Minutes to Metro

Colesville Towers 888-784-5648

8811 Colesville Rd. Silver Spring, MD 20910 ColesvilleTowers.com

- All Utilities Included
 - Blocks from Silver Spring Metro
 - Metrobus and RideOn bus at doorstep

Parkside East

888-702-1254 710 Roeder Rd.

Silver Spring, MD 20910

ParksideEastApartments.com • Blocks to Silver Spring Metro

All Utilities Included



express night out.com | | express night out.com

All Credit Considered

For a small fee

BEAUTIFUL RENOVATED

GREAT DISCOUNTS FOR Teachers, Police, Students,

- · On-Site Metro Shop
- Playground
- Open Parking

888.867.0906

866-658-4287

LANDOVER/CEDAR HGTS- Rooms for Rent

MCLEAN, VA-- 2 BR, 1 Full BA with new appls.
No pets. No smoking. \$1650/month plus utilities,
1 month deposit. Call **703-888-6591**

Pleasant Hills 105 Varnum St., NE

ALL UTILITIES INCLUDED!!!

NE- Section 8 with voucher, 2BR

Calvert Hall **Upartments**

• FREE UTILITIES · Spacious and modern apts Wall to Wall carpet

Private balconies/patios



CALL FOR FANTASTIC SPECIALS!

2535 Ross. Rd.

SILVER SPRING, MD

SILVER SPRING, MD

SILVER SPRING, MD

Private Parking Garage



NORTHEAST

PURE PLEASURE!

Fort Chaplin Park

4212 East Capital St. NE

One Block from Metro - Free Off-Street Parking Window Treatments - Landscaped Courtyards One & Two Bedroom Apartment Homes

Three Bedroom Townhomes
5% Disc. Metro & DC Govt Employees

877.269.4216

M-F 9-5 Sat 11-3

Housing Choice Vouchers Welcome where Rents are Within Voucher Limits

*In Kalorama

The Norwood 1868 Columbia Rd 202-265-5600

1BR From \$1650

ALL UTILITIES INCLUDED

HI Kalorama Harwood Floors Walk in Closets 24 Hr Maintenance On-site laundry facilities *Roof Deck *Limited off-street parking *Walk to dining, shopping and Metro

William C. Smith + CO/EHO www.wcsmith.com Rentnow@wcsmith.com

NW-Adams Morgan

Parkside 1702 Summit Pl., NW 202-408-3202

1BR: \$1355

*Hardwood Floors *Brushed Nickel Lighting Fixtures *Frost Free Refrigerator Gas Range

Elevator Laundry Facilities

William C. Smith + CO./EHO www.wcsmith.com Rentnow@wcsmith.com

NW-Columbia Heights

Meridian Park 2445 15th St., NW 202-232-1471

EFF: \$995 1BR W/Park View: \$925 **Plus Cooking Gas & Electric**

FREE 32' Flat Screen TV!!!* **Ask About Our Leasing Options**

Renovated Building & Units Hardwood Floors Elevator Building •On-site Laundry •Adjacent to Meridian Hill Park

> William C. Smith + CO/EHO www.wcsmith.com Rentnow@wcsmith.com *Must move in by 12/15/09

NW/Walter Reed

1401 Sheridan St 1-877-890-2229

EFF: \$795

Beautiful Brick Building Landscaped Grounds Newly Renovated Kitchens Laundry Facilities in Building Cable Ready On Metrobus Line

Professionally Managed By William C. Smith + CO./EHO www.wcsmith.com

NW-Adams Morgan

Calverton 1673 Columbia Rd. (866) 825-1379

1BR From \$1495

*Large units in the heart of Adams Morgan

Walk to Shopping and Dining On Site laundry facilities

Elevator Buildings

William C. Smith + Co./EHO www.wcsmith.com

NW-Adams Morgan

Chatham Courts 1707 Columbia Rd., NW (877) 895-4691

1BR From \$1545

Beautiful Brick Building Spacious Apartments Elevator Building Hardwood Floors Walk to Shops, Dining & Metro

> William C. Smith + Co./EHO www.wcsmith.com Rentnow@wcsmith.com

NW-Columbia Heights

Twin Oaks 3802 14th St., NW 1-866-365-6206

EFF Starting \$899 1BR W/ Balcony \$1225

\$300 Off First Month's Rent!!!*

Ask About Our Leasing Options!!!

ALL UTILITIES INCLUDED!!!!

Hardwood Floors Updated Units Close to Two Metro Stops Near Tivoli shopping area

> William C. Smith + Co./EHO www.wcsmith.com *Must move in by 12/15/09

NW-Dupont Circle/U Stree

Wakefield Hall 2101 New Hampshire Ave.,NW (866) 825-1270

1BR From \$1295

All Utilities Included

Beautiful brick building Spacious Apartments *Elevator Building *Hardwood Floors *24 Hour Maintenance *On-site Laundry *Walk to U St. Metro & Shops

> William C. Smith + CO/EHO www.wcsmith.com Rentnow@wcsmith.com

NW-Dupont Circle/U Street

Hampton Courts 2013 New Hampshire Ave., NW (877) 895-4694

> Studio \$ 965 1BR From \$1375

All Utilities Included

*Beautiful brick building *Elevator Building *Hardwood Floors On-site Laundry 24 Hour Maintenance Walk in closets Walk to U Street Metro & Shops

> William C. Smith + CO/EHO www.wcsmith.com Rentnow@wcsmith.com

RENTALS

DELWIN APARTMENTS

866.918.7544

- 1 & 2 Bedrooms Available Starting From \$775
- Water, gas and sewage included!
- Metro-Bus Stop on the property
- Close to 295, 495 & The National Harbon

RENTALS

GREENWOOD MANOR APTS.

866.918.7543 /201

- 1 & 2 Bedrooms Available
- Starting From \$700 Private Parking Lot
- Spacious Floorplans with Hardwood Floors
- 5 Minutes to the Green Line Metro

WWW.DELWIN-REALTY.COM



FHO

NW-Mt. Pleasant

3151 Mount Pleasant St. 202-390-2601

> EFF: \$965 **All Utilities Included**

On-site Laundry Walk to Shops and Metro Hardwood Floors

> William C. Smith + CO/EHO www.wcsmith.com Rentnow@wcsmith.com

The Klingle 2755 Maccomb St., NW 202-250-6933

1BR: \$1450

*All Utilities Included!!! *In Cleveland Park *Beautiful Brick Building *Spacious Apartment *Walking Distance to Metro, Shopping and

William C. Smith + CO./EHO Rentnow@wcsmith.com

1/2 OFF **1ST MONTH'S RENT!*** PARKWAY TERRACE APTS 1 & 2 BRs fr \$770

- Walk to Metro/Tennis Courts
- W/W Carpet or Hardwood avail
- Keyed entry ways
- Parklike setting w/picnic tables and
- \$20 APPLICATION FEE* MAXIMUM INCOME LIMITS APPLY 301-735-5200

3415 Parkway Terrace Drive Suitland, Md. 20748 Mon-Fri 9-5. Sat. 10-4 Managed by the E&G Group *must move in by 11/15/09

Randall Highlands

Hillside Terrace 1812 23rd St., SE

1-866-646-7056 <u>OPEN HOUSE Thursday 11/19, 4PM-7PM</u>

Zero Application Fee! \$300 Off 1st Month's Rent!

1BR From \$795

*Beautiful Apartment Community

*Renovated Kitchens and Baths *Ample Closet Space

*Close to Shopping *On & Off Street Parking Available

William C. Smith + Co./EHO www.wcsmith.com

Silver Spring—1 br, balc, new crpt, new SS kit app, parking, W/D, \$1200, Jamila w/Murrell R.E. 202-829-0729

Riverdale

Big Savings on Large Apartments BRs \$850, 2 BRs \$999

- FREE gas cooking & hot water
- New kitchens
- Large closets
- Minutes to I-495. B/W Parkway & New Carrolton Metro

Auburn Manor 888-332-6003 6821 Riverdale Rd

Income Restrictions apply ask for details *on select apts for qualified applicants

RIVERDALE **East Pines Terrace**

RIVERDALE \$99 MOVE IN

Spacious Studios ↑ BR & 2 BRs
 Walk-in Closet

⇔ Balconies **☆ Laundry Room**

Free Gas - Near Metro
Delwin Realty 301-577-7917 6747 Riverdale Rd. Riverdale, MD 20737

Rockville

Grosvenor Metro 10th Flr Efficiency, Rent incls all utils. Bill: Fairfax Realty 301-996-2752

Rosecroft Mews Apartments 2428 Corning Ave Ft Washington,Md 20744 1-866-652-4957

Recession Special Must Move in by Nov. 20th \$699.00 One Bdrm \$759.00 One Bdrm + Den \$799.00 Two Bdrm \$859.00 Two Bdrm + Den

Renovated Apartment Newly Homes

Spacious Apts, Wall to Wall Cpt Washer, Dryer, Dishwasher, Fitness Center+more Hours Mon-Fri 8:30-5:30 Sat 10-5

Must Move in by Nov. 20th

Concerts, movies, events restaurants and more.



Rockville

Rocklin Park

708 Lenmore Ave. Rockville, MD 20852 301-294-9448

1 BR \$995 2 BR from \$1050

- Great Location Remodeled Kitchen Wall-to-wall Carpet Walk to Metro
- On Metro bus route
- Conveneint to Shopping and Dining

William C Smith & Co./EHO www.wcsmith.com

TWO BEDROOMS

= = 1 = = Application Fee • Deposit

No rent for December*

*Must sign Lease by 12/15/09
* New Qualified Applicants Only Friendship Court

Apartments 888-264-4495

Professionally Managed By CIH Properties, Inc.

SE- 1-2BR on Green Line. Quiet, carpet, secure. Voucher approved- Utilities included Please call 703-912-4885 leave message

毺

SE-- 1 BR, 1 BR with den, 2 BR \$715 & up+ elec. No Pets. Call 202-265-4814, 202-629-2606. Fred A. Smith Co.

2801 Pennsylvania Ave., SE

3101 Pennsylvania Ave., SE 1BR \$795

- 202-581-3692
- Beautiful Hardwood Floors
- 24-hr maintenance
- Metro Accessible Short Distance to Capitol Hill Accessible to Downtown DC &

Outlying Areas William C. Smith + Co./EHO www.wcsmith.com

SE- 3122 BEAUNA VISTA TERR- Newly renovated 3 BR Apt. Central air & heat, Washer dryer, dish washer, w/w carpet, section 8 ok \$1800/mo CALL Jerome 202-321-5596

SE-745 51st St. - 1BR, W/D, A/C, electric, carpet: \$755 + \$755 sec. dep. \$45 application/credit report fee. 301-328-9169

SF

Cedar Heights 1510 Butler St., SE (866) 765-3761

Move In Nov. or Dec. 1 Month Free Rent

Laundry Facilities Controlled Access

William C. Smith + CO./EHO www.cedar-heights.com

Southern Ridge Apartments

Call Monday-Friday

9am-5pmfor details (202)562-3200

2BR Starting From \$865 3BR Starting From \$980 Newly Renovated Spacious Floor Plans & Closet Space

1 & 2 Bedrooms available

Minimum and Maximum income require-

Be The Star Of Our Open House!!!

Ridgecrest Village Apartments' 2000 Ridgecrest Ct., SE Washington, DC 20020 (866) 505-8057

> Saturday Nov 21st 10am-3pm

Move In Specials!!!

Food..Prizes..Fun!!!

2 & 3 Bedrooms Starting At \$1050

All Utilities Included!!

- Newly Renovated Apartment Homes

- Large floorplans
 Spacious closets
 Choice of Wall to wall carpet or Hardwood Floors
- Laundry on-site
- Off-street parking
 Free Shuttle Bus to Metro
 Convenient to shops at Park Village & Brand
- New Library

 THEARC Just Blocks Away

William C. Smith + Co./EHO www.wcsmith.com

S.E. DANBURY ST. - Attractive 1BR \$695. 1st month rent free. Good Credit Required. Metro Bus at Corner. Call 202-563-1791

Save More Than \$1000*

2BR w/2 baths-\$1089

- Washer/dryer in apt
- Large floor plans Individual alarm system Minutes to Metro bus & rail

Royal Courts 866-208-9686

3719 4th St, SE Wash, DC Income restrictions apply

on select apts

DON'T MISS OUT!!!

Come and see what the excitement is all about!

River Hill Apartments

- * \$500.00 Off 1st months rent on 1 BRs! * No application fee
- Completely Renovated
- Large rooms w/wall to wall carpet
 Pools & Playground
 Laundry Rooms
 - *Call Immediately

(202) 562-5060 Near Bolling AFE

Professionally managed by CIH Properties, Inc.

Fall Into Our Move-In Specials

4th Street & Mississippi Ave 3200 E St. 1800 Minnesota Ave 3221 Wheeler Rd

> 1BR's from \$740 2BR's from \$925

FIRST MONTH FREE

NO APPL. FEE (202) 574-2200

SE/NE—1/2bds condos VOCUHER HOUSING newly renov, wash/dry \$1100-\$1300 202-669-8473

Cascade Park Apts.

4236 4th Street, S.E.

32 inch flat screen television give away on an approved move in!! 2 Bedrooms Only!!

Spacious 2.3 & 4 BRS, available Immediate availability

Convenient to shopping, Green Line Metro, On-Site Laundry Section 8 Welcome Call Now! 202-562-1600 301-803-0938 www.novodev.com

WINDHAM CREEK APARTMENTS EHO

*1 BDRM EXTRAVAGANZA

ONLY \$890* ENJOY THE COMFORTS OF: PLUSH CHAMPAIGN COLORED CARPET FULLY EQUIPPED EAT IN KITCHEN ENORMOUS WALK IN CLOSETS GATED COMMUNITY LAUNDRY FACILITIES PLAYGROUND

Windham Creek has everything you have been searching for...Call NOW

(301) 568-6400

Richman Apartments 3420 11th Pl.,SE

202-248-3229

1BR \$745 2BR \$835 3BR \$875

The Heat & Utilities Are On US!!!!

- *Hardwood Floors *Off Street Parking
- *Laundry facilities on-site
- Walk to Alabama Ave Metro

William C. Smith + Co./EHO www.wcsmith.com

Shipley Park Apartments

2523 Savannah St.,SE Washington, DC 20020 **1-888-286-7195**

2BR Starting at \$875

Bring Your \$100 Holding Fee to **Reserve Your New Apartment** Home!!!

- **Newly Renovated Apartment Homes**
- Hardwood Floors
 Oaks Kitchen Cabinets with Breakfast Bar
- Microwave, Dishwasher, Garbage Disposal
- Controlled Access Central Heat & A/C
- Laundry Facilities FREE Shuttle Bus

William C. Smith + Co./EHO www.wcsmith.com

The Colonnade 4501 South Capitol St., SW 1-888-865-0763

1BR Special Starting at \$725

The Heat and Utilities are on us!!!

- *Controlled entry
 *Near shopping, hospital & schools
 *On Metro Bus Route
- *Walk-in closets
 *Laundry facilities on-site
- *24HR Emergency maintenance *Adjacent to 295, 395 & the Capital Beltway

William C. Smith + Co./EHO www.wcsmith.com

Halley House 3730 M. L. King Ave., SE 202-561-5763

1 BR starting @ \$715 2 BR starting @ \$825

- *Upgraded Kitchens & Lighting
- *Spacious Floor Plans
- *Hardwood Floors
- *Walk-in Closets *Walk to Metro

William C. Smith + Co./EHO www.wcsmith.com

New Horizon 2607 Naylor Rd., SE 1-866-494-0238

1BR: \$745

- **Beautiful Apartment Community**
- All New Kitchens and Baths Ample Closet Space
- Close to Shopping
- Off Street Parking Available

William C.Smith + CO/EHO www.wcsmith.com

SE/NR Minn 2BR AC, gas heat, good cred required. section 8 ok. **202-546-0704**

SE/The New Anacostia
Spacious, Well Designed Effcy, 1 and 2 Bedroom Apts.

UTILITIES INCLUDED

the best view IN THE CITY!

MARBURY PLAZA

Minutes from VA, Downtown DC,395 & Metro 24-Hour Maintenance Service

 $2300\,Good\,Hope\,Rd.\,SE$

888-798-1916

(call for specials)

Washington View 2629 Douglas Rd., SE 1-877-801-4266

1 Month Free Rent! 2BR & 3BR Special

- Spacious Floorplans
- *Individually Controlled Heat & A/C
 *Balconies & Patios
 *Controlled Access

- Sparkling Swimming Pool Fabulous Views of the City

Ask about our extended hours

William C. Smith + CO./EHO www.wcsmith.com

Wilmington Place

106 Wilmington Pl., SE (877) 649-7731 1BR Special Starting @ \$710

2BR Special Starting @ \$810

- **Updated Kitchens and Lighting** Spacious Floor Plan Hardwood Floors
- Walk-in Closets Walk to Metro
 - William C. Smith + Co./EHO www.wcsmith.com

RENTALS

Now Leasing: Studio, 1, and 2 Bed Apartments

88.760.9

EnclaveSilverSpring.com

•SILVER SPRING

Crescent Park Village #2 Elmira St., SE 1-888-807-6760

1-BR Starting @ \$775 2-BR Starting *@* \$875

FREE BASIC CABLE

- Largest floor plans in the area Central heat & A/C
- All new kitchens and baths

- Metrobus at your door Near shopping, hospital and schools

Professionally Managed by William C. Smith + CO/EHO

SILVER SPR/Forest Glen Metro

CONVENIENCE -PLUS! Ask About Our \$499 Move In Special

1 BEDROOM GARDEN APTS

3MONTHS

- New Appliances
- New Cabinets
- New Clubhouse, fitness & busi-

Woodvale

(866) 522-5427

*on select apts. Call for details

WINDSOR COURT AND TOWER APARTMENTS

2 Br / 2 Ba apt. homes \$300 off per month Sec Dep. starting@ \$99 0 Application Fee* 2 Months free rent*

Stop in or call today!
13802 Castle Blvd., #103 Silver Spring, MD 20904

> 888-255-6159 WITH THIS AD





HOLIDAY SPECIAL! Hurry In! Garden Style Apts!

Free Gas and Hot Water Close to Metro, schools & and shopping! CALL FOR 2 BEDROOM SPECIALS!

- Great location in a park-like setting Laundry facility on property Intercom access to every bldg.
 - **Banneker Place Apts.**

(202) 584-1688 Professionally Managed by CIH Properties

Worthington Woods 106 Wilmington Pl., SE 877-649-7731

1BR Special Starting @ \$710 2BR Special Starting@\$810 Free Application Fee!

Spacious Floor Plans Hardwood Floors Walk In Closets Walk to Metro

> William C. Smith + CO./EHO www.wcsmith.com

Woodberry Village 2224 Savannah Terrace SE

(866)799-0541 1BRS From \$685 plus electric

- · AC wall units · Hardwood Floors & Wall-to-Wall carpet
- Close to THEARCH · Beautifully landscaped community
- Convenient to shopping • Free Metro shuttle
- On-site laundry facilities William C. Smith + Co./EHO www.wcsmith.com

Concerts, movies, events, restaurants and more.

nightout express night out.com

XXI72 IxI.5

Controlled access On-site laundry facilities

UTILITIES INCLUDED

Forest Glen Apartments CALL TODAY! 301-593-0485

UP TO

RENTALS



NOW LEASING Studio | 1BR | 2 BR Call for Daily Specials

888.311.0910

EORGIAN

8750 Georgia Avenue | Silver Spring | MD 20910 leasing@GeorgianApts.com | GeorgianApts.com & @

The Ultimate Living Experience... in Revitalized Downtown Silver Spring

- All Utilities Included
- · Corporate Short-Term Housing Available
- · Small Dogs & Cats Welcome • Competitive Rents
- 1 1/2 Blocks from Silver Spring
- Metro & UM Shuttle Bus
- Pool & Onsite Fitness CenterUpgraded Kitchens & Bathrooms
- 888,518,8376

1701 East-West Highway, Silver Spring, MD summithills.net



Come Experience The Holidays At The Villages Of Parklands!

Customer Service...Shopping...Convenience...Recreation...

1 BRs from \$695

MANOR & GARDEN VILLAGE APTS.

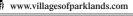
1717 Alabama Ave., SE 1-888-275-2914



• Free Heat • FREE Shuttle to Metro • FREE Parking • Minutes from THEARC • Next to Super Giant & IHOP

Daily 8-5; Wed & Thu 8-7; Sat 9-4; Sun By Appt.

SOUTHWEST



William C. Smith & Co.

ONE MONTH FREE RENT

EFFICIENCY

1 AND 2 BEDROOM APTS

AVAILABLE NOW!

W/W carpet, Central Air/Heat, Dishwasher, Laundry facility, Free Parking

A Perfect location on Metro

Eagle's Crossing

116 Irvington Street SW, Washington DC 20032



Silver Spring Foreclosure! 3BR, 2BA. Only \$208/mo! (5%down, 15yrs @8%) For Listings 800-585-3617 x1543

Meadowbrook Run 3647 6th St.,SE (877) 819-3121

Move In November or December 1 Month Free! 1BRS Starting at \$699 2BRs Starting at \$820

- Newly Renovated Property with Large Floor
- Free After-School Learning Program
- Resident Control Access
 Large, Walk-In Closets
- Convenient to Congress Heights Metro Some Units Include Heat
- 3BRs also available

William C. Smith + Co./EHO www.wcsmith.com

Concerts, movies, events restaurants and more.



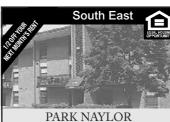
(866) 416-1325 M-F 9-5. Sat/Sun 10-4 Housing Choice Vouchers Welcome

1 MONTH FREE!* **Meadow Green** Courts!

LARGE 2 & 3 br apts. Available Convenient to shopping, schools, Dishwasher Walk-in closets. Wall to Wall Carpeting.
5% DISC.TO METRO & DC GOVT EMPLOYEES

877-595-7389

 $3539\ \text{A}$ Street SE Housing Choice Vouchers welcome where rents are within voucher program limits
*MUST MOVE IN BY 12/1/09



- Patios/Balconies
 Ask About Our Government
- Free Heat & Gas

- Community Center
 Large Swimming Pool
 Controlled Building Access
 Renovated Apartments
 Controlled Building Access
 Renovated Apartments
 Renovated Apartments
 - 888-703-6882

2562 Naylor Road, SE • Washington, DC 20020

SUITLAND

1, 2, 3 bedrms available, some with dens.

> Prices starting as low as \$850

\$199/\$99

Move in Special Plus Security Deposit and move-in by 11/30/09

Pinewood Chase

5601 Regency Park Ct #7 Suitland MD 20746

866-414-2477

www.beaconmanagement.com

HUGE Apartments

1 BR \$880 2BR \$1025 3 BR \$1250

- · Washer/dryer in all apts.
- Oversized Closets
- · Large balconies for relaxing
- On Metro bus line
- 2 & 3 BR w/Dens also a vailable

FOREST VILLAGE 888-805-6423

CAPITAL CROSSING

866-204-8061

1 Month Free Rent **2BR Special**

- **Starting @ \$980** Newly Renovated Community
- Spacious Floor Plans
 Convenient to Metro
- Available for Immed, Occupancy

William C. Smith & Co www.wcsmith.com

SUITLAND

FREE RENT **TIL DEC. 09***

Washer/dryer in every apartment Remodeled Apartments Oversized closets Suitland & Addison Rd. Metros

Shadyside Gardens 877-338-2594

2641 Shadyside Ave Suitland, MD 20746 *call for details

\$499 MOVE IN SPECIAL*

1 & 2 BRs from \$755 SPECIAL LOW DEPOSIT!
UTILITIES INCLUDED! Remodeled w/new Kitchens **DIRECTLY ACROSS FROM METRO!** SILVER HILL APTS.

301-423-3131

*plus deposit. Call for details

Time is running out, Stav warm on us! Don't miss our Special Sunfilled Affordable Apartment - In A Great Location

- FREE Gas & Heat

2 BR SPECIAL - \$860* New qualified applicants only Must move in by November 30°

FRIENDSHIP CROSSING APTS. 888-849-8052

OAK PARK APARTMENTS

125 Ivanhoe St. SW Washington DC 20032 202-574-8199

Move in by December 1st and receive a 32 inch LCD HD Flat Screen television.

1 bedrooms starting at \$725 2 bedrooms starting at \$825

- Section 8 Vouchers Welcome

- Location * Location *Location Located within minutes to 295, 395 and 495 Security Deposits starting at 250 pending credit Don't wait move in today!!! Units Ready!!

Takoma Park- Effc and 1BRs available hardwood floors, laundry facilities from \$650 to set up an appointment please call 301-937-0100 Mon-Fri 9-4pm

TAKOMA PK—1 BRs from \$840 LOVELY PARK-LIKE SETTING! ALL UTILITIES INCLUDED CALL TODAY 301-891-2270

Takoma Pk/Silver Spring

3 BEDRM. APTS. from \$1162 to \$1342

BELFORD TOWERS

- minutes from downtown DC
- easy and quick access to major hwys. & transportation
- 1 and 2 Bdrm. apts. also available

866-485-9179

helfordlease@beaconmanagement.com or on the web

www.beaconmanagement.com Pricing & Specials are subject to change. Equal Housing Opportunity

TEMPLE HILLS **Old Town Style Apartment-Home**

- 2 BR from \$919
- · Across from shopping center with Giant and Macy's
- \$99 Security deposit w/approved
- **MARLOW HEIGHTS**

1 MONTH FREE!!!

1 Bedroom 1 Bath from \$799 2 Bedroom 2 Baths from \$1105 3 Bedroom 2 Baths from \$1215

1-866-906-6857 **Heather Hill Apartments**

5837 Fisher Rd. Temple Hills, MD 20748 www.heatherhillapts.com

- Metrobus stop outside vour front door
- Brand New Business/ Entertainment Center Spacious Floorplans w/ large closets
- Small Pets Welcomed

Temple Hills

Move Now and You'll be Home for the Holidays! 1brs \$799 2brs \$899

- Spacious rooms & closets
- Free Gas Heat & Cooking
- Free Brinks Alarm System

Harbour Manor 888-309-6929 4513 23rd Parkway Temple Hills, MD 20748

*on select apts, ask for details

Temple Hills

OXON PARK & OXON TERRACE APARTMENTS EZ ON THE BUDGET 1-BEDROOM \$735.00/\$805.00

2-BEDROOM \$845.00/\$925.00 AND A GREAT MOVE-IN SPECIAL FOR YOU

- 1/2 OFF 1ST MONTHS RENT
- ALL UTILITIES INCLUDED
- WALL-WALL CARPET THREE BLOCKS FROM SOUTHERN AVE.
- READY FOR IMMEDIATE
- HURRY!!! LIMITED TIME **CALL US TODAY! 301 894-**

TEMPLE HILLS Old Town Style Apartment-Home 1 BR from \$799

- 2 BR from \$919
- Quaint community
- Controlled entry
- Abundant closet space Bright and spacious Across from shopping center with
- Giant and Macy's
- Instant Approvals • \$99 Security deposit w/approved

MARLOW HEIGHTS 888-372-3096

WAGGAMAN CORPORATION: 202-537-8970

WAGGAWAN CORPORATION. 202-337-8970
Presents!!
NE: 336 63rd \$5. 1 BR \$650 + e; Capital Hghts.
Metro nearby! (202) 537-8970
SE: 400 Chaplin St. 2 BR \$850 + e +g. Off Texas
Ave. (202) 537-8970
SE: 4010 9th St. 1 BR \$680- \$ 688 + e. Off Willard
Road (202) 537-8970
Housing Choice Voucher Welcome

202) 537-8970 Housing Choice Voucher Welcome Equal Housing Opportunity

Washington D.C. HUD! 4BR 1BA only \$359/mo! 5%dn,15 vrs@8% APR For Listings 800-585-3617 x T136

Woodbridge—\$500.00, NS PRO CBL/INTRNT/WD INCLD, FURN/UNFN GD PRKNG: 703-899-3910 **ROOMMATES**

ARL/BALLSTON/2 blocks to Metro Shr N/S apt. \$500, handy man pref, incl utils. W/D. Avail now Call **703-408-4867**

 Quaint community 2 Blocks to Metro Controlled entry 1 & 2 BRs starting at \$850 Abundant closet space

Instant Approvals

1 BR from \$799

- Bright and spacious

888-372-3096

ROOMMATES

ASHBURN—1 room in nice SEH, private bath near Toll Rd, Dulles Town Center/Fox ciner \$600 includes utilities. 703-728-4079

Aspen Hill-\$650, 1 br, 1 ba, all utilities and internet included. Very clean. 3014428459

BETH/NIH - Prof M. share 4br house: Furn'd rm. 3 wndws, fridge, tv, w/vcr, cac, w/d, no pets avail now. \$601 incl ph, utils, cbl. 301-530-8947 BOWIE - Furnished. Lge MBR w/priv BA,Use of W/D Off Rt 50, Prof N/S, 15 min DC, Annapolis. EZ access to BWI Airport. \$670 inc util 301-805-1125

BOWIE -- To share nice, clean house with 1 person. 2 pvt Br, private Ba, Private TV room. \$650 mo + 1/2 utilities. **Dennis 410-487-3288**

BOWIE/Upper Marlboro, MD - Share house. \$585-\$600 plus security deposit, all utilities paid. Near Metro, Bus, shopping center. 301-249-3879 Centreville—3 IVI. T/H. Lrg. br w/ 1/2 ba \$375 mo, OR, sm. br \$275 mo. + 1/4 util. ea. + 1 mo. deposit ea. Centreville, VA, 703-731-0228.

Chantilly—\$600.00, 2 br, 2 ba, 14633 Boac Circle, Chantilly, VA, heat, 703-263-7809

Dumfries—Shr TH,furn, \$600BR w/priv ba, \$450BR shr ba. Util incl + Dep.Must love dogs. 703-657-9077 NR.GMU/TGT/WMART

level town Share 3 level town home, 1 bedroom \$400+ 1/4 utilities Please call 703-536-9094

Falls Church — Furn 1BR \$650/mo util/CATV/Internet, shr kit/BA/WD, N/S Male pref, no pets Email: tew6602@cox.net

GAITHERSBERG Single family home, bsmt room, private BA/ entrance \$575 includes utilities Call 301-675-9911

Gaithersburg Private entrance furnished, share kitchen, Bath & W/D. Near metro. Utils & Direct TV included. \$525. 240-821-3039

GAITHERSBURG—1 room \$299.
In house to share. Male-preferred. No smoking. Near Metro. 301-219-1066

HERNDON - 2 BR available. 1 full bath in share. apt \$500/each. Share electric. Near bus stop, close to major highway Call 703-589-8008

HYATTSVILLE- SFH to shr 4br 3.5ba, Nr Metro \$150/\$175/wk.Mst BR \$950,1 wk free **301-802-3029**; 240-462-3238

LANHAM, RUXTON DR Furnished rooms. quiet, no smoking. Utilities included. \$540 and \$560, plus deopsit. Please call **240-645-2380**

LAUREL -- House to share, Room, share bath cable TV, \$600 month all utilities included Please call 240-455-2555 for more info

MOUNT RAINIER, MD— Beautiful rooms for rent. \$600. All utilities. M/F. Call **301-220-1613**

Petworth Share house. Furnished room. Cable, internet. Month to month. W/D, frig. Available now. \$750 includes all. Call 202-256-7846

Rockville—RMate PrivFurn WiFi cabl ldry tel pkg. WFlintMetro 2/460-2944 home20852@gmail.com Total: \$800

SE—Share Newly Renov. Fully furn, W/D, Jacuzzi Tub, Full Kit, Nr. Metro/Shops. \$150/\$225 per wk. util. incl. Jasper St, 202-536-5586

SILVER SPRING- Bsmnt apt, utils, int, cable incl. Nr dwntwn SS & major shopping center. \$880. Call 301-792-9720

Springfield—\$650, 1 br, 1 bat basement walkout burke, VA,cab ,int ,7034759677

SUITLAND — Share 2 level TH. 1 BR w/pvt. bath. W/D, Near Metro. M/F, no smoking, Pool, Free Gym, gated community Call 301-437-4686 UPPER MARLBORO - New 1BR basement apt.

Sep. ent, walk-in closet, Have your privacy, free cbl & int. \$850/mo incl utils 202-538-6008

WOODBRIDGE-\$395/month+ utilities Male to share nice/quiet house with males, near bus and shops. Call:703-763-3776

WOODBRIDGE Room in new and quiet townhouse. All amenities. \$600, includes util. 703-606-0359

Woodbridge - SFH to shr. 2 BR: small room \$450, large room \$550, all utilities included. Call **703-407-4799**

CONDOS FOR SALE

\$308,000 Arlington 2030 N ADAMS STREET

RATHSI 2BR, 1.5BA, UPDATED KIT & BATHS Ceramic Tile, Corian, HW's- this condo just sparkles Plus reserved parkg, secured bldg, jog/bike path near Metro, OPEN SUNDAY 1-4. Kathleen Tuthill VA Realtor, Long and Foster, Direct: 703 945

HYATTSVILLE \$78,790 Penthouse condo. All Closing Paid. \$500 down \$1200/mo Kevin Lloyd 301-523-340 **C21 TMK**

- furn or unfurn Condo, 1BR, 1BA, 770 sq ft.. all amen in Kitc, community gym/pool. Near Tysons II & Metro. \$1295. **303-931-0332**

HOUSES FOR SALE

CAPITAL HEIGHTS \$177,000 - 3BR, 1BA, SFH hardwood floors. \$8000 tax credit for first timers. Buyers only. Call Emma Carroll 301-996-1618

District Hts \$109,900. All closing paid on 3BR hse. Price reduced nr metro \$700 down less than hse. Price reduced nr metro \$700 down less than \$1100/mo. Kevin Lloyd **301-523-3400. C21 TMK**

SELLYOURHOUSETODAY! MD/DC/VA Properties Any Condition/Area. Call for Free Info. **703-957-5452**.

SILVER SPRING \$3' NEW CONSTRUCTION UPGRADES

3 finished level 3 Br, 3.5 Ba, TH, new hardwood floors and carpet, stainless steel appl, granite counters, deck of kit, cedar closet, fireplace, custom 42" cabinets. A MUST SEE! Better than Call Frank

REAL ESTATE SERVICES

1629 K St, NW.—Economical, sustainable officing:On demand ofcs, ph, mail, Net, other svcs. Plans \$55-\$200/mo. OSI **202-835-0680**

STOP PAYING RENT- OWN! Up to \$43K in grants 0 close,0 down \$40K min income. 240-550-3346

CARS

\$500! Police Impounds! Cars/Trucks/Suv's from \$500! For Listings 800-585-3563 x 2602

Chevrolet 1998 Express 1500 — \$3700, Excellent cond, 115k mi, Gray int, Blue ext, 703-879-2934 josturman@hotmail.com

Dodge 2001 Ram Van — conversion 1500 \$7220, Excellent cond, 59k mi, White ext, alloy wheels, CD, AC, 3rd seat/bed 703-425-9200

Ford 2005 F150 — XL SuperCab, \$16800.00, Excellent cond, 30k mi, Tan int, Champagneext, Cap and

Jeep 2005 Liberty— Limited, \$11,500 obo, 4WD, Excel cond, 41k mi, White ext, Gray int, 4 dr, Htd Seats.Lthr Int. PS. PW. 301-961-0247.

> JUNK VEHICLES REMOVED FREE CASH PAY FOR ALL 202-714-9835

MERCEDES BENZ 1996 S CLASS, 4 dr, big body, auto, A/C, 105K miles, 1 owner, blue/ tan, V8. \$4450. Cell 201-892-3790

Mini 2006 CooperS — \$17500 Excellent cond, <42000, Blk int, Silv ext. 2 dr, 6 spd, htd Seats, Snrf, alloy wheels, more. Wrnty 408-892-5497

Mitsubishi 2002 Diamante — ES, \$6000.000bo, Excellentcond, 69k mi, black int, Cream ext, 4 dr, DVD, Cass, CD, PL, 202-409-3911



None Established • Bankruptcies • Judgmer • Charge Offs • Repossessions • Tax Liens New Test Program For Automobile inancing Special Allocation of Funds

✓ NEED A CAR – CALL NOW Call Mr. Samuals Today • 1-877-877-5557
Laurel Kia Used Cars & Trucks



Concerts, movies, events, restaurants and more.



XXI72 Ix4





GENERAL ADMISSION DANCE Lively mix of R&B, swing, and more FRI., NOVEMBER 27

JOHN EATON

WHERE IT ALL BEGAN: THE GLORIOUS SONGS OF IRVING BERLIN AND JEROME KERN

SAT., NOVEMBER 28



SCHOONER FARE

Acclaimed "Down East" duo with fun 🙀 maritime tunes



CHICAGO CITY LIMITS WIKIPHOBIA

High-energy improv FRĬ., JANŬÁRY 8



DAEDALUS QUARTET

THE DISCOVERY SERIES Mozart String Quartet No. 22, Beethoven "Harp" Quartet, and a world premiere string quartet by Lawrence Dillon FRI., JANUARY 15



JOHN JENNINGS & FRIENDS

Country-pop singer/ producer behind 11 Top 10 singles and two Grammy Awardwinning albums SAT., JANUARY 16

INTERNATIONAL **GUITAR NIGHT**

FEATURING: LULO REINHARDT, ITAMAR EREZ, STEPHEN BENNETT, **AND BRIAN GORE**

A night of world-renowned guitarists WED., JANUARY 20



PAUL CEBAR & THE **MILWAUKEEANS** GENERAL ADMISSION DANCE

Afro-Caribbeaninspired Americana FRI., JANUARY 22



LOUDON WAINWRIGHT III Witty folk troubadour

and entertainer WED., JANUARY 27



AL DI MEOLA Legendary jazz guitarist THURS., JANUARY 28

ASPEN

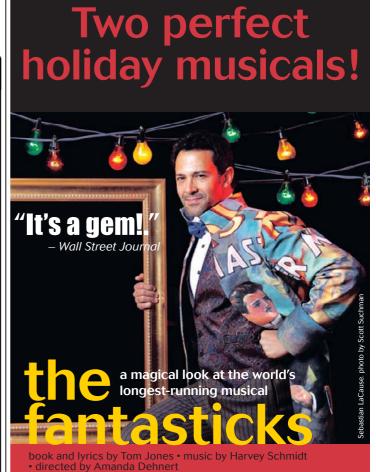


ENSEMBLE THE DISCOVERY SERIES Acclaimed mixed quintet of flute, piano, and strings

FRI., JANŬARY 29 **AND MANY MORE!**

FOR TICKETS: 1(877) WOLFTRAP WWW.WOLFTRAP.ORG

Groups Save! Call (703) 255-185





Now through January 10 at the Lincoln Theatre

written by Brendan Milburn, Valerie Vigoda and Rachel Sheinkin

December 2 - December 13 in Crystal City

TICKETS STARTING AT \$25 (202) 488-3300 or www.arenastage.org



Tweets for Twihards

Robert Pattinson and Kristen Stewart discover Twitter | 30

lookout

Frankly, It's Fantastic

'Mr. Fox' will animate audiences with its ultra-hip sensibility and old-school look

FILM | The appetites may not be cannibalistic, but they're no less sanguinary in "Fantastic Mr. Fox," Wes Anderson's piquant adaptation of the Roald Dahl book that adds yet another wry, carefully composed bibelot to the cabinet of curios that

'FANTASTIC MR. FOX'

- → DIRECTOR: Wes Anderson
- → STARS: George Clooney, Meryl Streep and Jason Schwartzman
- → IN A NUTSHELL: Mr. Fox's midlife crisis leads to an epic adventure for his friends, neighbors and family.
- → FOR FANS OF: "Wallace and Gromit: The Curse of the Were Rabbit," "Matilda"

defines the Anderson oeuvre.

"Fantastic Mr. Fox" features the voice of George Clooney as the title character, who as the movie opens is stealing squabs, only to be apprehended and, we're meant to assume, rehabilitated. Two years later, he's living in cozy domesticity with Mrs. Fox (voiced by Meryl Streep) and their son, Ash (Jason Schwartzman), and working as a journalist, a profession only slightly less disreputable than the one he had before.

Still, the dapper, cosmopolitan Mr. Fox is experiencing a bout of midlife dissatisfaction, which he addresses first by buying a house



FROM PAGE TO SCREEN: Wes Anderson honors Roald Dahl's classic text in this heartwarming film about Mr. Fox and friends.

The entire enterprise ambles along with a laid-back vibe, reinforced by the actors' understated voice work.

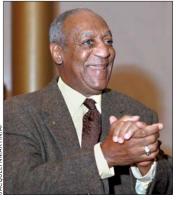
far beyond his means in a very grand tree, then by reverting to his poultry-stealing ways and, finally, by taking his family and neighbors with him on an "Ocean's Eleven"- type spree.

Anderson is famous for his love of meticulous composition and musical ear tuned to simultaneously arcane and of-the-moment frequencies. All these elements are on display in "Fantastic Mr. Fox," thereby resulting in a movie that is twee and ultra-hip at the same time. Filmed in archaic stopmotion animation with puppets dressed in charmingly bespoke threads, the entire enterprise ambles along with a laid-back, low-key vibe, reinforced by the

actors' understated voice work. (Bill Murray, Willem Dafoe and Brit rocker Jarvis Cocker show up in cameos, as does Anderson rep player Owen Wilson).

From the awkward, herky-jerky movements of the title character to the movie's rich autumnal palette of russets and golds, "Fantastic Mr. Fox" sticks to a genteel, adamantly slowed-down ethos, offering a welcome respite from the whizbang computer effects and 3-D hype of current animated movies.

ANN HORNADAY (THE WASHINGTON POST)



Comedy, acting, music — he does it all!

Breaking Into the Rap Game

Bill Cosby paints a bleak picture on 'State of Emergency'

MUSIC | Bill Cosby has already absorbed enormous criticism from blacks for his blunt attacks on self-destructive black behavior and hip-hop culture. Now he's taking his crusade into the lion's den with the improbable rap album "State of Emergency."

No, the Cos is not on the mic—he executive-produced the project. The actual rapping is done by three little-known artists.

The songs on the album include descriptions of black afflictions, challenges to self-improvement, celebrations of black women and visions of a better future. It's a powerful, much-needed message.

The problem is the music. On "Emergency," the rappers are decent, but they don't say anything rewindable. The album is food for starving souls but definitely in need of some spice.

JESSE WASHINGTON (AP)



CASTING Anything's Better Than 'Newlyweds' This week, NBC officially unveiled Nick Lachey as the host of the upcoming talent reality competition "The Sing-Off." The network also announced Ben Folds (Ben Folds Five) and Shawn Stockman (Boyz II Men) as two of the show's three celebrity judges. On the four-night series, which will air Dec. 14-21, eight groups will perform a cappella, competing for a \$100,000 prize and an Epic Records/Sony recording contract. (THE HOLLYWOOD REPORTER)

lookout entertainment

A Desolate But Loyal Journey

The film adaptation of McCarthy's 'The Road' is true to the book yet reveals a thin story

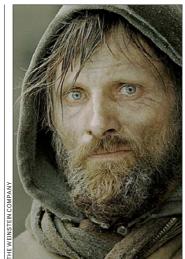
FILM | "The Road," the highly anticipated and much-delayed adaptation of the Cormac McCarthy novel, aspires to greatness. And in many ways it succeeds, as it brings to bleak life McCarthy's story of an unnamed man and boy trying to survive a catastrophe of unknown origin, with their bodies and souls intact.

Director John Hillcoat, who made an astonishing U.S. debut

with the Australian western "The Proposition" in 2005, brings all his visual and imaginative powers to bear in creating a desaturated landscape. The only living things to be found are roving bands of survivors who have turned to cannibalism or, as in the case of "The Road's" two anonymous protagonists, those who refuse to eat people.

Viggo Mortensen delivers a haunting portrayal of a father determined to shepherd his son (Kodi Smit-McPhee) to safety, toward the coast, where it's warm.

Presumably, fans of McCarthy's novel will be well pleased with the care and somber respect Hillcoat



Viggo Mortensen stars in "The Road."

and his cast bring to "The Road," which deserves praise for its ambition, tonal control and stark visual design. Like "No Country for Old Men," it's possible to admire "The Road" and still harbor deep misgivings about how much technical and artistic virtuosity are being thrown at an essentially thin, hopelessly mannered story.

Stripped of his tough, plainspoken prose, McCarthy traffics in emotions every bit as highly pitched as the most lurid melodrama. He loves to put his characters in situations of unbearable suffering, to see if they're worthy of his exacting ethical standards. As a spiritual allegory, it aims to celebrate moral clarity in the face of nihilistic despair, a sense of right and wrong reflected in a child's instinctive love of justice. It's a beautiful idea poetically conveyed in the service

'The Road' possesses a grim kind of grandeur, but it plays like a zombie movie with literary pretensions.

of thoroughly undeserving source material. "The Road" possesses a grim kind of grandeur, but it ultimately plays like a zombie movie with literary pretensions. ANN HORNADAY (THE WASHINGTON POST)

Shop Asia for the Holidays

at the Shops of the Freer and Sackler Galleries

Attic Sale 2009 Freer Gallery of Art

STARTS FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 27, AND CONTINUES THROUGHOUT THE HOLIDAY SEASON.

10 AM-4 PM

Year after year our popular attic sale offers unique Asian-inspired gifts at deep discounts!

Smithsonian
Freer Gallery of Art and
Arthur M. Sackler Gallery

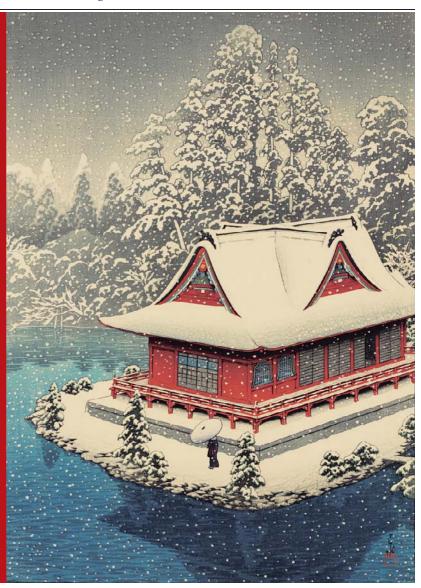
1100 Independence Avenue, SW Washington, DC 20560 Metro: Smithsonian

202.633.0535 | www.freersacklershop.com

Tibetan Artisan Trunk Show Arthur M. Sackler Gallery

FRIDAY-SUNDAY DECEMBER 4-6 10 AM-5 PM

Handmade jewelry, jackets, and toys, crafted by artisans in Tibet in cooperation with the Dropenling Handicraft Development Center, are offered at this unusual trunk show.



television lookout

A Harmonious Holiday

Music is the main TV offering on this year's Thanksgiving menu

SONG | Music abounds this Thanksgiving. "Beyonce: I Am ... Yours" (9 p.m., ABC) captures the popular singer/actress during a performance in Las Vegas in which she relates her life story through a series of dances and musical numbers.

"Paul McCartney: Good Evening New York City" (10 p.m., ABC) presents highlights from the ageless former Beatle's summer 2009 concert at Citi Field in Queens, N.Y.

Carrie Underwood, Leona Lewis and Maxwell perform on "CNN Heroes: An All-Star Salute" (9 p.m., CNN), a celebration of people from all walks of life who have



Once you're stuffed, roll yourself to the sofa and take in "Beyonce: I Am ... Yours."

done extraordinary things over the past year. Anderson Cooper hosts the event from the Kodak Theater in Hollywood, where scheduled presenters include Nicole Kidman, Kate Hudson, Neil Patrick Harris and Julia Louis-Dreyfus.

Holiday music of a more tradi-

tional sort is on tap on the "Great Performances" (9 p.m., PBS) presentation of "Sting: A Winter's Tale." He sings a mix of carols, lullabies and traditional songs at Durham Cathedral near Newcastle-upon-Tyne in northern England. KEVIN MCDONOUGH (UNITED FEATURE SYNDICATE)

SECRETS DON'T MAKE FRIENDS

When Gary lets Louise attend a party for the "cool kids," he tries to keep it a secret from Allison — which, history shows, is a doomed scenario — on GARY UNMARRIED (8:30 p.m., CBS).

DON'T MISS THE REAPER

criminal minds (9 p.m., CBS) marks its 100th episode with a taut hour that finds Rossi and the BAU team racing to help Hotchner find the Reaper (guest star C. Thomas Howell).

CRAZY 'DOS

On **GLEE** (9 p.m., Fox), Mr. Schuester and his glee club check out their hairraising competition, but there's even scarier stuff going on elsewhere, as Kurt gives Rachel a makeover.

A CLEAR MORNING

After uncovering the murderer's dark lair, Mac and the CSI team race to save the fourth victim of the Compass Killer (Skeet Ulrich), but the sunrise presents a final surprise on CSI:NY (10 p.m., CBS). (TRIBUNE MEDIA)

tonight's <mark>lineup</mark>

AFTER THE SPOTLIGHT

More than 40 former contestants from **THE BIGGEST LOSER**'s (8 p.m., NBC) first seven seasons reveal how they look now and what they've been doing since they left the series. Some of them reveal their struggle to maintain their weight loss, and others discuss their major accomplishments.

HEY THERE, ROOMIE!

"Meanie mom" Lindsay decides to leave her husband after Christine convinces her that being single leads to happiness. But Christine is less than ecstatic when Lindsay moves in with her on THE NEW ADVENTURES OF OLD CHRISTINE (8 p.m., CBS).

HORROR UNFOLDS

This episode of **SECRETS OF THE DEAD** (8 p.m., PBS), titled "Mumbai Massacre," revisits those chilling 60 hours starting on Nov. 26, 2008, when a wave of orchestrated terror-



Gary foolishly tries to keep a secret from his ex-wife on "Gary Unmarried."

ism was transmitted live around the world via cell phones, the Internet, texting and social networks such as Twitter. Ironically, that same technology enabled the terrorists to conduct a deadly cat-and-mouse game with their victims.

celebrities including Simon Cowell, a producer of the special. (AP)



Love food fun? When you join TastePost, you're invited to fantastic food-and-spirits related events throughout the area, including TastePost wine and cheese tastings like the lively one this past March — see the video on TastePost.com! Look for savings on wine dinners, chef/author events, the biggest food festivals, and more — all TastePost exclusives for discerning lovers of food and the drinks that make eating a celebration!





Join today for Restaurant Specials and other *exclusive* member benefits!

SPECIAL **Dream Come True** TV Guide Network says it will air a special program starring singing Scottish sensation Susan Boyle next month. The one-hour documentary, "I Dreamed a Dream: The Susan Boyle Story," will feature performances by Boyle, plus interviews with her, and friends and



lookout travel

Faith in Dazzling Design

A synagogue created by a famed architect opens to the public

DESTINATIONS | Did you hear the one about the rabbi and the architect?

Few people have. Which is why the members of Beth Sholom in Elkins Park, Pa. — who worship in the only synagogue designed by Frank Lloyd Wright — are stepping forward to tell the story of how their landmark spiritual home was built.

Described as a symbolic Mount Sinai made of concrete, steel and glass, the iconic building somehow never received the attention of more famous Wright designs such as Fallingwater and the Guggenheim Museum. But new public vis-



Visitors sit in seats at Beth Sholom Synagogue in Elkins Park, Pa. The synagogue, which was designed by Frank Lloyd Wright, is celebrating its 50th anniversary.



Visitors look at the pyramid-like roof of Beth Sholom Synagogue's sanctuary.

iting hours might change that.

"It should be better known," said Paul Goldberger, architecture critic for the New Yorker magazine. "The space itself is just magnificent. It's exhilarating. Everything just soars."

The synagogue marks its 50th anniversary this year by establishing a visitors center that will be open three days a week. Previously, appointments were required to see Beth Sholom.

From the outside, the pyramidlike roof rises more than 100 feet above the sanctuary. The "shingles" are really panels of corrugated wire glass and fiberglass that filter natural light into the building during the day; at night, the illuminated structure is an ethereal sight for motorists driving by.

The six-sided sanctuary represents the cupped hands of God. A multicolored Plexiglas chandelier is suspended above the nearly 1,100 seats. Wright also designed the eternal light over the ark, where the Torah scrolls are kept.

"The Synagogue lives and breathes; it moves with quiet grace and charm; its lights and shadows continually change with the coming of the sun and the passing of a cloud," wrote Mortimer J. Cohen, the rabbi who commissioned the building. "Under the moon it is a silver tower." KATHY MATHESON (AP)



office, we can accommodate just about any event or budget.

WASHINGTON, D.C. | DUPONT CENTER 1825 CONNECTICUT AVENUE N.W.



group-friendly atmosphere. Whether it's a merry gathering between friends or a festive celebration for the entire

*25 Reward Card is valid on food purchases at any Buca di Beppo restaurant from January 1, 2010 - March 31, 2010. One Reward Card per visit/per table

NEW YORK CITY HOTEL

The Portland Hotel at Times Square is undergoing a multimillion-dollar renovation to become the Sanctuary Hotel. Currently, there are nine Sanctuary Studio rooms available at the Dress Rehearsal rate, about 50 percent off what rooms will cost when the renovation is complete. Guests who follow up by e-mailing their feedback to a hotel executive will also receive a \$50 credit for a future stay. Rates start at \$159 per room per night. WHEN: Through March 31, 2010. DETAILS: Does not include taxes of 14.75 percent or a daily occupancy fee of \$3.50. Based on single or double occupancy. Use promo code DRESSI. CONTACT: 212-382-0600, Portlandsquarehotel.com.

fare on Air France to and from D.C. or Baltimore; six nights at the Comfort Hotel Gare de L'Est in the 10th arrondisement near the Strasbourg St.-Denis and Château d'Eau Metro stops; continental breakfast daily; a scenic one-hour cruise along the Seine with Bateaux-Mouches; a ticket to the Paradis à la Folie! revue at the Paradis Latin nightclub, with a champagne toast; a wine-and-cheese tasting at Galeries Lafayette; and hotel taxes, fuel surcharges and service charges, from \$1,049 per person - plus airport taxes and fees of \$170 to \$240. WHEN: Through Dec. 10, 20-23, 2009; Jan. 5-March 24, 2010; add \$90 for Dec. II-I9, 2009; add \$100 for Dec. 24, 2009-Jan.4, 2010. DETAILS: Based on double occupancy; single supplement is from \$160. For travel on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, add up to \$35 per person each way. CONTACT: Air France Holidays, 800-237-2623, Airfranceholidays.com. BUDGET TRAVEL

MAGAZINE

FIND MORE DEALS & TRIP-PLANNING

TIPS AT BUDGETTRAVELONLINE.COM.

food lookout

Frenchman With a Plan

Chef Jacques Pépin tells how to cook a feast in the least time

The hordes lined up at HoneyBaked Ham stores (and the pre-roasted turkey pickup station at Whole Foods) prove how many of us need culinary help during the holidays. Even Jacques Pépin, the French-American chef who cooked for Charles de Gaulle (and with Julia Child), sometimes makes bouillabaisse with boxed stock or cassoulet with canned beans. Early next year, the 74-year-old food legend will headline what amounts to the kitchen shortcut .: Olympics: the Man-O-Manischewitz Cook-Off, in which cooks submit their recipes using the

What shortcuts work for holiday feasts?

company's broth. (Enter by

finals in March.)

Jan. 31 at Manischewitz.com;

When I do a chicken or a turkey, I make my own stock. But if you can find a good stock without too much junk in it, you can use that. For instance, in a classic leek soup, the leeks and butter are more important than fresh stock.

Any ingredients that you think must always be fresh?

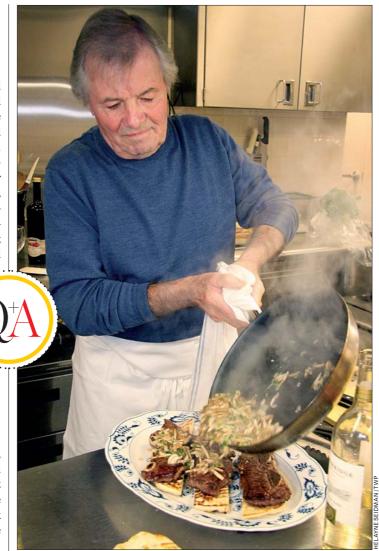
There are many vegetables, like cauliflower and asparagus, that I won't use frozen. They turn to mush! But I do like those frozen baby peas.

Any other time-saving tips?

Oh, there are lots of tricks, like peeling vegetables directly over the garbage can, or lining a roasting pan with foil so you don't have to scrub it afterwards.

How will you evaluate recipes in the Manischewitz Cook-Off?

Strictly on taste. The proof in the



Chef Jacques Pépin believes in merging French technique with U.S. shortcuts.

pudding is in the taste. If I say, "Oh, my, this is good," it'll win.

Isn't presentation important, too?

It's nice when a dish looks good, but that's not what I judge food by. I think food critics should be blind, so they can go to the heart of the matter. In the past few years, chefs have gone to so much expense for presentation. But, frankly, when you have to decorate things just to titillate because people are fed up with food, that's sad.

You're a big believer in technique. A great chef certainly has to be

56 The best holiday for me is Thanksgiving. It's purely eating, drinking and enjoying friends."

first a technician and a craftsman, but after that, they need talent.

Are cooking skills important for home cooks, too?

Yes, if you learn techniques as a home chef, that takes some of the

drudgery out of cooking at home. You don't dirty as many pots!

How should newbies start learning how to cook?

Everyone has a friend who cooks. Ask them to have you over when they are cooking. Come, bring wine and help. You'll think, "That wasn't so hard."

You were born in France, but you've lived in the U.S. since 1959. Which American holiday do you like the

The best holiday for me is Thanksgiving. It doesn't have any political or religious affinity. It's not about a revolution. It's purely eating, drinking and enjoying friends.

What do you cook to put on your holiday table?

Our holiday is pretty mixed, since my wife has a Puerto Rican background. She usually wants some baccalao [salt cod]. At Christmas or New Year's, I like to have some oysters or foie gras and roast a capon or goose.

When you go back to France, which foods do you crave?

It's always very visceral for me. I want the foods I had as a child. I just want a roast chicken.

Which American foods were strangest to you when you first arrived?

The first time I had apple pie, I thought it was disgusting. There was so much mace and nutmeg.

You've been on "Top Chef" and had your own shows, including PBS's "Jacques Pépin: More Fast Food My Way." Has food TV changed how Americans cook?

It's changed it a lot, for the better. Thirty years ago, chefs were at the bottom of the social scale. No one would've wanted their kid to marry a cook! But now, we're the genius**es.** Jennifer Barger (Express)



Jacques' Chicken Suprêmes with Tapenade and **Mushroom Sauce**

INGREDIENTS:

1 cup of pitted olives; 1 garlic clove, peeled and sliced; 2 dried apricot halves, cut into small pieces; 1 1/2 tbsp drained capers; 2 tbsp virgin olive oil; 4 skinless, boneless chicken breasts, about 6 oz. each; 3 tbsp good olive oil; 1/2 tsp salt, plus extra to taste; 1/2 tsp black pepper; 1 1/2 cups Baby Bella mushrooms, washed and cut into 3/4-inch pieces; 1/2 cup chopped onion; 1/2 cup Manischewitz Chicken Broth; 2 tbsp chopped fresh chives or parsley

MAKES 4 SERVINGS

FOR THE TAPENADE: Put all the tapenade ingredients in the bowl of a food processor, and pulse to make a coarse puree.

FOR THE CHICKEN, cut a slit in each breast to create a pocket; stuff with tapenade. Preheat oven to 180 degrees. Heat olive oil in a large skillet. When hot, season stuffed breasts with 1/2 tsp. each salt and pepper; arrange side by side in skillet. Cook over medium heat, covered, for about three minutes on each side. Transfer to a platter and keep warm in the 180-degree oven. Add mushrooms and onion to skillet; sauté for two minutes. Add chicken broth; reduce contents by boiling for two minutes. Add salt and pepperto taste. Serve a chicken breast on each of four hot plates, adding any juice that has accumulated around them on the platter to the sauce in the pan. Divide mushrooms and sauce among servings, spooning over breasts, and sprinkle parsley or chives on top.

secome a fan at facebook.com/washingtonpostexpress

Poll Center

WILL ADAM LAMBERT'S LEWD PERFORMANCE AT THE AMAS **HURT HIS CAREER?**

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS AS OF 5 P.M.

76%

YES 24%

"If anything is going to hurt Lambert's career, it's that ridiculous 'guyliner' he wears. No man or woman on Earth could possibly find it attractive; he looks like an idiot."

COMMENTER MASON SPENCER

"What was lewd about it? I've seen female singers do a lot more and criticized a lot less. Is male sexuality that threatening?"

COMMENTER BRANDON

"How many thousands of people who'd never heard of the guy now know who he is? There's no such thing as bad publicity, right?"

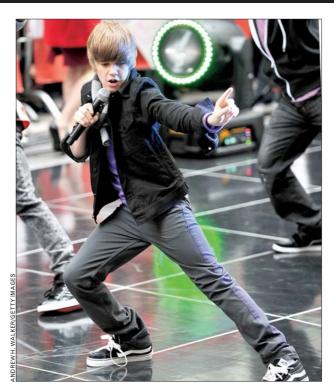
COMMENTER SPECIAL OLYMPIC BOWLER

SEE HOW YOUR METRO STATION VOTED W W W . E X P R E S S N I G H T O U T . C O M



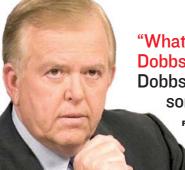
"WORDS CAN'T express how happy it makes us to know that [Katie] Couric celebrated her arrival on TV journalism's throne by taking to the dance floor and letting the DJ save her life."

GAWKER.COM LOVED THE RECENTLY LEAKED PHOTOS OF THE CBS ANCHOR DANCING ON THE ROOFTOP OF THE HUDSON HOTEL IN NEW YORK ON SEPT. 5, 2006.



"Terrifying? Inevitable? Harbinger? In any case, it's a first: Police in Long Island, N.Y., have arrested a man for not using Twitter."

MEDIAMEMO.ALLTHINGSD.COM IS STUNNED BY THE STORY OF A RECORD LABEL EXECUTIVE WHO WAS ASKED BY POLICE TO USE TWITTER TO HELP DISPERSE AN UNRULY CROWD GATH-ERED TO SEE SINGER JUSTIN BIEBER, LEFT, AT A MALL THE EXEC ALLEGEDLY DID NOT COOP-**ERATE. AND WAS ARRESTED**



"Whatever you do, do not tell Lou Dobbs he can't run for president. Dobbs is not delusional — he's awesome. Run, Lou, run."

> FAMOUSDC.COM REACTS TO LOU DOBBS' INTERVIEW ON WTOP. IN WHICH HE STATED THERE WAS NOTHING CRAZY AT ALL ABOUT A PRESIDENTIAL BID. THE BLOGGER SUGGESTED FORMER MISS CALIFORNIA CARRIE PREJEAN AS A RUNNING MATE.

"EVERYONE'S TAKING SHOTS

these days at Notre Dame, including aiming their ire at star QB Jimmy Clausen. Unfortunately, some people are taking their potshotting too literally."

National Weather for Wednesday, November 25

SPORTSBYBROOKS.COM FEELS A BIT BAD FOR CLAUSEN, WHO WAS SUCKER-PUNCHED BY A FAN AFTER HIS TEAM LOST SATURDAY.

5 Day Forecast for the Washington Area



58°









58° / 40°



Cloudy, colde

46° / 37°



Partly sunny

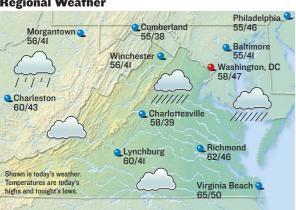
54° / 37°

Sunday

Mostly sunny

55° / 41°

Regional Weather



Forecasts and graphics provided by AccuWeather, Inc. ©2009

Almanac

Washington, D.C., through 4 p.m. Tues. **Temperature** High .. Low Normal high . Normal low . 389 Average humidity .

Precipitation

24 hours ending 4 p.m	0.67"
Month to date	3.91"
Normal month to date	2.43"
Year to date	39.59"
Last year to date	
Normal year to date	35.70"

For up-to-the-minute weather, see washingtonpost.com/weather

Regional Forecast

D.C. Metro: Today, mostly cloudy, light rain. High 58. Wind southeast 4-8 mph. Tonight, mostly cloudy, light rain. Low 47. Wind light, vari-

Sun and Moon

Sunrise today 7:02 a.m
Sunset tonight 4:48 p.m
Sunset tonight 4:48 p.m Moonrise today 12:50 p.m Moonset today
Moonset today none









National Cities Today Hi/Lo/W Thur. Hi/Lo/W Atlanta 65/45/pc 59/38/s Boston 54/45/c 54/45/c Chicago 50/34/c 40/31/c Dallas 67/40/s 65/39/s 44/25/pc Denver

NICE

Warm Fron

T-storms

City

Honolulu

Miami

Orlando

Seattle

Los Angeles

New York City

Flurries

59/30/s 83/71/s 82/71/s 82/52/s 82/52/s 80/59/c 84/69/t 53/50/c 57/46/c 78/59/t 73/48/0 54/44/c 49/42/r

Shown are noon po

World Cities

tion. Temperature bands are highs for the day. Forecast high/low temperatures are given for selected cities.

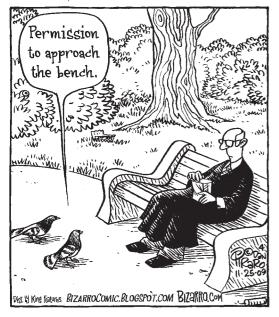
Thur. Hi/Lo/W Today Hi/Lo/W City 54/45/sh 50/43/r Amsterdam 66/54/s 68/54/s Athens Berlin 54/41/pc **Buenos Aires** 77/59/sh 79/61/s Calgary 48/28/c 49/16/c Dublin 50/39/pc 48/41/pc 56/42/pc Moscow 43/36/sh 41/32/r 64/48/s Rome 63/52/pc 82/64/pc Sydney 63/52/r

70s

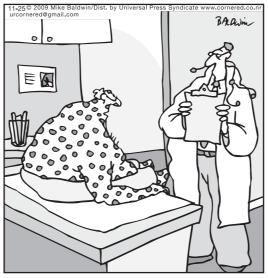
s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, i-ice

comics lookout

Bizarro | Dan Piraro



Cornered | *Mike Baldwin*



"Felt fine before I got here. Caught this from someone in the waiting room."

Pooch Cafe | Paul Gilligan









Pearls Before Swine | Stephan Pastis









The Duplex | Glenn McCoy







Horoscope

By Stella Wilder

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) You're likely to rediscover a pastime that provided great pleasure in the past. You may consider making a professional change.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) You'll have the chance to contribute something worthwhile, but before long you'll realize that you've been contributing all along.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) What does it mean? It's a question you'll be asking yourself again and again. Mysteries abound, but they can be solved.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) Occasionally, you will come up with an idea that puts other ideas to shame, but it may be some time before you can put them into motion.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) It's important to know just what direction you are heading — before you find that you've made an about-face unexpectedly.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) You should be able to avoid a routine problem simply by following a path that affords greater flexibility.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You may come face to face with someone who has been working against you for some time. A real contest of wills is about to begin.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) You may have a time limit to work with, even though you prefer that things be a little more loose and relaxed. You can make it work.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You're likely to see things and observe behaviors that are unfamiliar to you — and perhaps unusual to others as well.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) The explanation you've been giving for recent behavior may be proved false before the day is out — but your deception has not been intentional.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) A calm, cool exterior can fool others into believing that you're not fully involved or committed. Nothing could be further from the truth.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) You'll find great value in the little things around you. When the time comes, you'll know just what is most prized by you.

Today in History

1783 The British evacuate New York, their last military position in the United States during the Revolutionary War.

1908 The first issue of the Christian Science Monitor is published.

Movie studio execu-1947 Movie studio executives meeting in New York agree to blacklist the "Hollywood Ten."

President Dwight D. 1957 President Dwight B. Eisenhower suffers a slight stroke.

The body of President 1963 John F. Kennedy is laid to rest at Arlington National Cemetery.

Five-year-old Elian 1999 Five-year-old Elian Gonzalez is rescued by a pair of sport fishermen off the coast of Florida.

2002 President George W. Bush signs leg-



President John F. Kennedy's funeral procession approaches the cemetery.

islation creating the Department of Homeland Security, and appoints Tom Ridge to be its chief.

NFL quarterback Michael Vick pleads guilty to a Virginia dogfighting charge, receiving a three-year suspended sentence.



lookout people



GHOSTWRITTEN

Someone's Publicist Learned to Tweet!

ROBERT PATTINSON and KRISTEN STEWART are now tweeting on the Twilight Twitter page, Usmagazine. com reported. Don't expect anything scandalous, though. "Thank you for making NEW MOON #1. It's very exciting to be a part of something embraced by so many people. I hope you are looking forward to ECLIPSE as much as I am," Pattinson tweeted. "You all have proven you're the most amazing fans in the world once again," Stewart said. "Yes, I twittered," she added. "Or twitted ... tweeted?" (EXPRESS)

GENEROSITY

NAACP Recipient of \$1 Million From Tyler Perry

TYLER PERRY has donated \$1 million to the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the civil rights organization. The NAACP says the gift announced Monday is the largest



If you wish hard enough, Oprah will give you Tyler Perry. And a new car.

donation from an individual in the organization's history. It will be distributed over four years. (AP)

expressnightout

Find the latest celebrity news and photo evidence of stars' sordid lives at WWW.EXPRESSNIGHTOUT.COM.

UNEXCITING

'Wow, That Fetus Has Her Nose!'

An Ohio police chief
was convicted of three
felonies Monday but was
acquitted of burglary charges in
an alleged break-in at the home of
a woman who carried twin girls for
SARAH JESSICA PARKER and MATTHEW BRODERICK. A jury found
Barry Carpenter guilty of receiving
stolen property, theft in office and

Now Brangelina's ultrasounds — that would be a coup.

tampering with evidence. He was acquitted on charges of burglary and unauthorized used of property or services. Carpenter said he went into the home because he saw a door open. He says he shot photos of two ultrasound pictures and of a plaster cast of a pregnant stomach but did not take anything. (AP)

BREAKFAST

Orange Juice, Toast, Fruit, Wheaties, Crotch-Grabbing

"Good Morning America" canceled a Wednesday concert appearance by ADAM LAMBERT. "Given his controversial American Music Awards performance, we were concerned about airing a similar concert so early in the morning," a rep for ABC said. CBS' "The Early Show" has booked Lambert for a Wednesday performance. (EXPRESS)



Who wouldn't want to wake up to this?

SEE LEFT

Tyler Perry Upstages Sambora

Woodbridge, N.J., plans to name a street after Bon Jovi lead guitarist RICHIE SAMBORA in honor of his philanthropy. The 50-year-old founded a charity to benefit Woodbridge teen Kelly Mahon, who was diagnosed with a brain tumor two years ago. Sambora also financed the new weight room at his alma mater, Woodbridge High School. (AP)





Concerts, movies, events, restaurants and more.



Look for site highlights in today's Express.

puzzles lookout

CROSSWORD | A FEW POINTERS

ACROSS

I More than stirred 5 Cousin of a minibike 10 "Avast!" responder 14 African wading bird 15 Call to mind 16 "Which way did ___, George?" (cartoon question) 17 Country since 1948 19 "Buyer beware" phrase . 20 "It's a mouse!"

21 Albumen adjunct 22 Certain Bond portraver 24 Atlantic City game 25 Give permission 26 It's believing, in a saying 29 Fellow crew member 32 Cheery song syllables

33 Hammer ends 34 Grammy genre 35 Hops hot spot 36 Plankton components 37 Advantageous position 38 Baseball's Master Melvin 39 Bun net 40 Small Pacific salmon 4I They provide

support to the needy 43 Mortise partners 44 Basketball booboos 45 French son 46 Conjecture 48 Excessive temper

tantrum

49 Minuscule amount 52 Lends a hand 53 Miami hot spot 56 Guitarist's 57 Alaska on a map, sometimes 58 Heavyweight contest 59 Addition column 60 Sultana grapes lack 61 Lose sleep over something

DOWN I "Sideways" subject

instrument

2 Chamber music

sometimes 3 "Star Trek" role 4 Low or high tail? 5 "Mother of all rivers' 6 Convex molding 7 It may be sweet and sour 8 Supplement with difficulty 9 Due time? 10 Peace in the Middle East II Wagon-master's 12 Money exchange premium 13 Deck crew's boss, briefly 18 Source of wild laughter? 23 Chamonix peaks 24 Highland attire 25 Road-sign word 26 Urban sitting place

27 Troubadour's

28 Steinbeck

Muse

												BY TIM		
1	2	3	4		5	6	7	8	9		10	11	12	13
14					15						16			
17				18							19			
20				21					22	23				
			24					25						
26	27	28					29						30	31
32						33						34		
35					36						37			
38				39						40				
41			42						43					
		44						45						
46	47						48					49	50	51
52					53	54					55			
56					57						58			
59					60						61			

29 Utah lilies 30 Add at the end 31 Triangular-bladed weapons 33 Agricultural devices 36 You might take it lving down 37 Practically forever 39 Slanderous remark 40 H'wood type 42 Beds down on a branch 43 Dancer's wear

45 Bound to happen 46 "Dollar diplomacy president 47 One way to swell the ranks 48 Artful dodge 49 With little slack 50 Ever-failing cartoon brand 51 Ship with a lateen sail 54 Single entity 55 Suffix frowned

upon by feminists

Yesterday's Solution

ľΕ	^A	Ğ	Ľ	ľΕ		Ůυ,	Ľ	ŇΝ	"A		ľ"L	0	A	M
¹4G	u	R	u	s		15 N	Е	Α	Р		16 A	N	D	Υ
¹⁷ O	Р	Е	N	s	¹⁸ E	s	Α	М	Е		¹³D		М	s
	²⁰ A	Е	G	Е	Α	N		²¹ E	х	²² P	L	0	1	Т
²³ G	1	N		²⁴ S	т	Α	²⁶ B			²⁶ H	Ε	N	R	1
270	R	Т	²⁸ S			29 _P	Α	³⁰ T	31 	0		32 S	Е	С
33 _P	s	Е	U	³⁴ D	35 O		³⁶ L	Е	v	E	³⁷ E			
		38 A	В	R	Α	39C	Α	D	Α	В	R	⁴⁰ А		
			⁴¹ S	Α	R	А	N		⁴² N	Е	s	Т	⁴³ L	"E
⁴⁵ R	46 E	47 _D		⁴⁸ P	s	Υ	Ç	⁴⁹ H			50 E	Υ	Е	R
⁵¹ E	L	U	⁵² T	Е			⁵³ E	Е	⁵⁴L	័ន		⁵⁶ P	1	E
57 E	М	В	Α	s	⁵⁸ \$	⁵⁹ Y		∞c	0	А	⁶¹ T	1	s	
62 F	1	L	М		63 H	0	⁶⁴ C	U	s	Р	0	С	U	⁶⁵ S
66 E	R	1	Е		67 A	R	Α	В		ోం	Р	Α	R	Т
69 R	Α	N	D		70 M	Е	т	Α		71 R	l ī	Πī	Е	γ

© PUZZLES BY PAPPOCOM

SUDOKU | MEDIUM

Fill in the boxes so each row, column and 3-by-3 square includes the digits I through 9. See www.sudoku.com for solution, tips and computer

Need more Suldoku?

Find another Sudoku puzzle in the Comics section of the Post every Sunday and in the Style section Monday through Saturday.

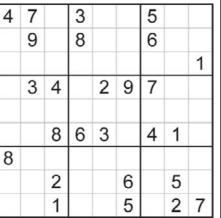
Yesterday's Solution

7	9	5	2	3	4	8	1	6			
8	3	6	1	7	9	2	4	5			
1	4	2	5	8	6	7	3	9			
4	1	9	7	5	3	6	2	8			
5	7	3	8	6	2	1	9	4			
6	2	8	4	9	1	3	5	7			
3	6	7	9	2	5	4	8	1			
2	5	1	6	4	8	9	7	3			
9	8	4	3	1	7	5	6	2			

4	7		3			5		
	9		8			6		
								1
	3	4		2	9	7		
		8	6	3		4	1	
8								
		2			6 5		5	
		1			5		2	7

ART DIRECTOR—SCOTT MCCARTHY | ASSISTANT MANAGING EDITORS—HOLLY J. MORRIS, MATT SWENSON | ARTS EDITOR—ARION BERGER FEATURES EDITOR-JENNIFER BARGER | SECTION EDITORS-KATIE ABERBACH, KRIS CORONADO, KARMAH ELMUSA, VICKY HALLETT,

BETSY LOWTHER, CHRISTOPHER PORTER, DUSTIN WEAVER, DARONA WILLIAMS, CLINTON YATES, FIONA ZUBLIN | ASSISTANT ART DIRECTOR-ALYCE JONES | EDITORIAL PUBLISHED BY EXPRESS PUBLICATIONS LLC | 1150 15TH ST NW. WASHINGTON, DC 20071 | A SUBSIDIARY OF THE WASHINGTON POST COMPANY TEL: 202-334-6800 | FAX: 202-334-9777 | CIRCULATION: 202-334-6992 | ADVERTISING: 202-334-6732 OR ADS@READEXPRESS.COM | CLASSIFIEDS: 202-334-6200





For complete event information and to RSVP, visit expressnightout.com/expressevents. Must be 21 years of age to attend event. The sponsors of this event remind legal aged adults to drink responsibly and never drink and drive. Sponsors are not responsible for the actions of those who do not abide by these rules.





25% OFF

ITEM OF YOUR CHOICE
THIS FRIDAY FROM OPENING UNTIL 10AM*
FRIDAY ONLY! FASHION FINDS FROM \$5



*OFFER VALID FRIDAY NOVEMBER 27TH FROM STORE OPENING UNTIL 10 AM. NOT VALID ON PREVIOUS PURCHASES, FOR H&M GIFT CARDS, OR IN CONJUNCTION WITH ANY OTHER DISCOUNTS. OFFER ONLY VALID AT ANY H&M STORE IN THE UNITED STATES.